MAN OF BLOOD

SUCH IS BLANCO, CUBA'S NEW CAPTAIN GENERAL. HE IS A BUTCHER AND WORSE THAN WEYLER. HE IS A POOR STRATEGIST. READ ABOUT HIM IN TOMORROW'S SUN.

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A TRAGEDY

PAULINE MARKHAM FIGURED IN A STAGE TRAGEDY, WHICH WILL BE RELATED IN TOMORROW'S SUN. SHE MADE $250,000 IN TEN YEARS AND GOT $100,000 IN PRESENTS.

FIRST EDITION

THE WEATHER.

The severe storm which prevailed on the coast from Nantucket to Hatteras yesterday diminished in force during the afternoon, and at the evening observation appeared to be drifting slowly seaward and dying out, so that it does not now promise to further affect New England. For Wednesday the indications now point to fair weather, though with perhaps with some cloudiness and temperatures much the same as today, with easterly winds of light velocities except off the southeast coast, where it will probably continue brisk.

ALMANAC, TUESDAY, OCT. 26.
Sun rises—6:11; sets, 4:45.
Length of day—10 h. 34 m.
High water—11:08 a. m.; 11:37 p. m.
Moon sets—4:49 p. m.

THE CUBAN CAUSE

How the United States Aided Spain.

TELLING ARRAY OF FACTS IN THE CAUSE.

Spain's Threats are Not Feared Here.

Washington, Oct. 26.—It is not doubted among officials that the basis of the Spanish reply to Mr. Woodford's note will be the charge that the United States has not observed the requirements of international law in the matter of preventing filibustering. In this case the state department will have pertinent facts to present which, its officials believe, will completely alienate from Spain any sympathy that she may have attracted from other European nations on that score.

It is asserted that in no single case where the Spanish authorities have brought to the attention of our government the fact that an illegal expedition was about to start from our shores for Cuba has it neglected to use all the means permitted by our laws to prevent the start. It has been so indulgent in this respect as to accept statements from the Spanish officials not accompanied by proofs of the facts alleged, but mere suggestions that they had reason to believe that an expedition was forming. In cases our government has proceeded to lengths in restraint of American commerce on insufficient evidence furnished by the Spanish government that has resulted in the preference of large claims by American ship owners for illegal detention of their ships.

Then the expense of maintaining the patrols along the Atlantic and gulf coasts has been very heavy. Every time the state department has been obliged to call upon a collector at a port the result has been a heavy bill of expenses for tugs, special officers and other charges, while the attorney general's office and most of the executive departments have been put to more or less trouble and expense. The navy department especially has been embarrassed owing to the necessity for diverting vessels from other places for the disagreeable Florida patrol. One official roughly estimated the expense the United States has been put to to protect the Cuban coast for Spain at about $2,000,000. This is probably a large estimate, but a naval officer who is thoroughly cognizant of the strain put upon the department by the patrol stated that it would really be cheaper for the United States to send a fleet to Cuba and blockade the coast there against incoming filibusters than to try to stop them on our own extensive coast line.

Altogether the officials here are confident of their ability to show that the government has more than complied with the requirements of international law, which, as laid down in the Alabama arbitration, simply demand that a nation "use due diligence" to prevent the departure of hostile expeditions. On this phase of the case the correspondence may be kept alive between the state department and the Spanish government until congress meets, but it is expected that unless some results in the direction of the suggestions of Mr. Woodford are forthcoming by that time, the president will refer the entire matter to congress and await its orders.

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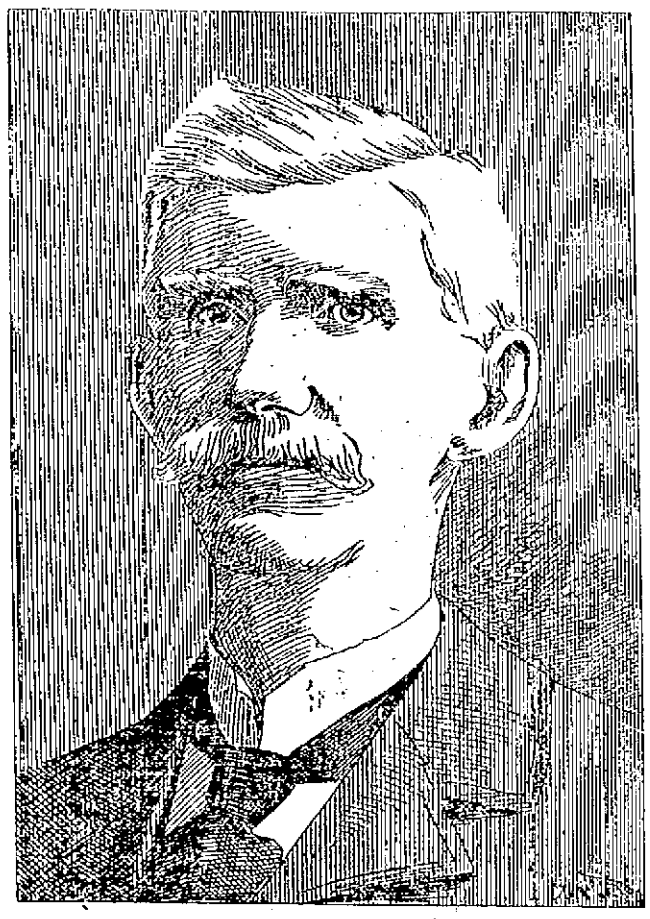
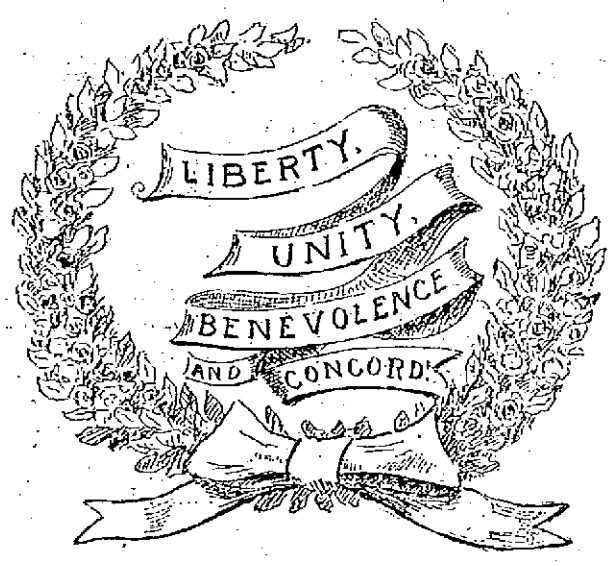
THE SOLEMN OBSEQUIES

Over the Bier of Laurence J. Smith This Morning.



LAURENCE J. SMITH, Born June 13, 1850; Died Oct. 23, 1895.



At the Immaculate Conception Church—A Vast Congregation Present—Most Beautiful Floral Tributes — Tender Tributes to the Memory of the Deceased.

This morning at 9 o'clock the funeral of the late Laurence J. Smith took place from the Immaculate Conception church and there was a very large congregation present to attest the love and esteem in which the deceased was held by his acquaintances here and elsewhere.

It seemed that fraternal orders without number vied with one another in honoring his memory, prominent among them being Foresters of America, the Knights of Sherwood Forest, Knights of Columbus, the Elks, the total abstinence societies, and various religious organizations, while the thousands who attended as individuals indicated how general and profound is the sorrow for the loss of the deceased, how heartfelt the sympathy for his bereaved family.

The funeral was late in starting. The Foresters did not reach the church till 9.15 and they were given seats in the right aisle. The Knights of Sherwood Forest, under command of John P. Boyers, marched to the house on Stackpole street, where the casket containing the remains was received. Carriages containing the friends had preceded the cortege to the church.

The Lowell Military band led the way to the church and played a solemn dirge. The Knights of Sherwood Forest in uniform acted as body guard and surrounded the hearse and the bearers who walked beside the hearse. Next came the widow of the deceased, accompanied by Dr. Thomas B. Smith, a nephew of the deceased and the two children, Thomas and Bridget Smith. Following them were the other mourners. No carriages were in the procession to the church. Around the church the street and sidewalks were black with people. As the casket was taken from the hearse, it was received by the pall bearers. While the band played Dow's beautiful hymn, "Come Unto Me" the solemn procession entered the Immaculate Conception church. Down the center aisle it moved slowly and from the choir came the notes of the sweet hymn, "Nearer, My God, To Thee," sung by a male quartette, Messrs. Haggerty, Faulkner, Boulger, and Martin. The church was literally packed with people. In the broad aisle with the bearers and mourners sat the Knights of Sherwood Forest. To the right were Foresters and representatives of other societies of which the deceased was a member. Many prominent people were noticed in the congregation. Four of the Sisters of St. John's hospital were present. Others there were John Faulkner, Harry R. Rice who were associated with him in the police board; Joseph Smith, clerk of the police board; J. L. Chalifoux, Alderman Reirce, Michael Corbett, Supt. Robert Thomas, T. P. Hall, Col. and Mrs. Heary of Monson, Marcellus Fletcher, Lawrence J. Cummings, T. J. Dowdof Nashua, Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Pratt, Chief and Mrs. B. S. Hosmer, Postmaster Pearson, Hon. Fisher H. Pearson and Hon. John E. Drury.

There was also a large delegation of letter carriers in the church. The solemn high requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. W. D. Joyce, O.M.I., with Rev. Fr. Reynolds, O.M.I., deacon and Rev. Fr. Lawrence, O.M.I., subdeacon. John Dalton of the Oblates' novitiate at Towksbury was master of ceremonies. Within the church were Rev. Fr. McGrath, O.M.I., of Buffalo, N. Y., Rev. Fr. Tortel, O.M.I., and Rev. Fr. O'Reilly, O.M.I., of Dublin. The casket, heavily draped, rested on a catafalque directly in front of the sanctuary. The choir was composed of fifty voices, directed by Prof. P. P. Haggerty. Mrs. Haggerty presided at the organ. Schmidt's requiem mass was sung. At the offertory, Prof. Haggerty sang the solos in the De Profundis. He also sang the "Pie Jesu" after the consecration.

When the service was ended, Miss Mabel Ware's fine soprano voice was heard in the hymn, "Rest, Spirit, Rest," with the chorus work by the large choir. The final selection was the Miserere.

THE FUNERAL CORTEGE.

After the service, the body was borne to the hearse and the large cortege was formed. There were 69 carriages in line. The column was led by the Lowell Military band. Then followed, in order, the grand officers of the Foresters, Chief Rangers of all the local courts, Court City of Lowell, delegations from local courts; carriages in which were the ushers and pall bearers; four drays, filled with floral tributes; the hearse with the Knights of Sherwood Forest acting as a body guard; carriages containing the numerous supreme officers and state officers of the Foresters, delegations from the Knights of Columbus, Celtics, Emeralds, and the Legion of Honor.

The streets leading from the church to the Catholic cemetery through which the procession passed were lined with people. At the grave the service was simple. There was no singing. Rev. Fr. Gigault, O.M.I., offered the prayer. Then as the casket was lowered into the grave the band played "The Vacant Chair."

Thousands who had known Mr. Smith all their lives, stood with eyes moistened with tears and joined in the final prayer that was offered for the repose of his soul.

The interment was in charge of J. F. O'Donnell and Mr. James E. O'Donhad charge of the carriages.

The funeral arrangements were in charge of Constantine O'Donnell.

When the grave was covered the floral designs were finely arranged by Florist McManimon.

The pall bearers were Hon. Jeremiah Crowley of the A.O.H.; M. J. Cahill of the Legion of Honor; E. M. McMurtry Supreme Secretary of the Foresters; Samuel B. Moriss, Grand Chief Ranger of the Foresters of this state; Stephen B. Wyman, Chief Ranger of Court City of Lowell; Michael J. Dowd of the Knights of Columbus; Daniel Halloran of the Y.M.C.I.A.; P. J. O'Brien of the Celtics and Emeralds.

The ushers were Dr. W. J. Kelly, Dr. T. F. Harrington, Dr. A. J. Halpin, Arthur J. McQuade and E. H. Choquette.

The list of the principal floral tributes, taken early this morning, was as follows:

Cross of roses, P. J. Riley.

Open book, clerks of the Lowell One Price Clothing company.

Arch with Maltese cross, Knights of Columbus.

Cross of white pinks, Mr. and Mrs. Hall.

Broken column, Hugh Duggan.

Palms and roses, P. Fay and family.

Chrysanthemums, Mrs. Frank Howard.

Wreath, Thos. Donohue.

Wreath, John J. Pickman.

Yellow roses, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. McQuade.

Wreath, Constantine O'Donnell.

Wreath of chrysanthemums and Mrs. J. J. Donovan.

White and yellow chrysanthemums, Gardner Pearson.

Palms, Mr. McManimon.

Callas, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hogan.

White chrysanthemums, Bessie Connell.

White pinks and smilax, Mr. and Mrs. Hosmer.

Tablet of Joy and Bride roses, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Wyman.

American Beauty roses, A. G. Thompson.

Gates Ajar, Mrs. Halpin.

Wreath of chrysanthemums and roses, Mr. and Mrs. George Fairburn.

Basket, Mr. and Mrs. Lennon.

Basket, Mr. Brosnahan.

Broken column, Mr. James T. Lyons.

Cross of roses and chrysanthemums, Mr. Gallagher.

Scroll, Knights of Sherwood Forest.

Wreath, Mr. and Mrs. O'Brien.

Sickle and wreath, Mr. and Mrs. McPadden.

Wreath of roses and chrysanthemums Hon. Fisher Pearson.

Magnificent pillow, Worcester Foresters.

Harp, Celtic Associates.

Lyre, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Hartford.

Wreath of ivy and violets, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cummings.

Pillow, Whist club.

Wreath, Dr. Carolin.

Crescent and star, Mr. and Mrs. John Clark.

Pillow, Companions of the Forest.

Large tablet, Grand Court of Massachusetts.

Palms, Mr. and Mrs. Harrigan.

Chrysanthemums, Misses Jennie and Julia Smith.

Chrysanthemums, Mrs. Bunker.

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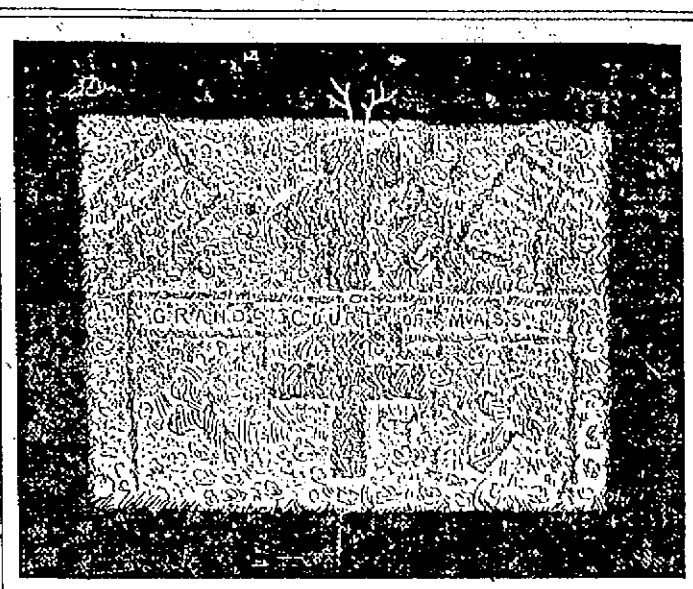

TRIBUTE FROM THE GRAND COURT, F. OF A.

DEATHS.

GARRITY—The many friends of Mr. John Garrity, one of Lowell's well known citizens and an employe of the health department, will be pained to hear of his sudden death, which occurred yesterday from asthma and heart disease. Deceased was 46 years old and had lived in Lowell all his life. In the "good old days" he was very prominent in democratic political circles and was regarded as a power in local affairs. He was formerly a member of the police department but during the latter part of his life was employed in the health department. He was of genial disposition and thoroughly honest, and leaves a host of friends. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning from the home of his brother, Mr. Henry Garrity, 220 Concord street. Requiem mass will be sung at the Immaculate Conception church.

FISKE—Mrs. Eliza B. Fiske, wife of George W. Fiske, died yesterday at her home, No. 24 Appleton street, aged 82 years and 5 months. Mr. and Mrs. Fiske were to have celebrated their 60th marriage anniversary last week, but the illness of Mrs. Fiske prevented.

Mrs. Fiske's maiden name was Eliza B. Cutler. She was born in West Medford and was married in that place, October 18, 1837. Mr. and Mrs. Fiske came to Lowell immediately after their marriage and have been residents of this city ever since. Mr. Fiske was a bobbin manufacturer but retired some years ago.

The deceased leaves, besides a husband, two children, Henry B. Fiske of Winthrop, and Sarah C. Fiske, the well known teacher at the Franklin died at an early age, and there was another daughter, Emma E., afterward Mrs. N. W. Storer, deceased.

The funeral will take place tomorrow at 2 o'clock in the afternoon from the home on Appleton street.

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STOLEN GOODS RECOVERED.

Twenty-five yards of cloth were taken from in front of J. V. Keyes' store on Merrimack street Saturday evening and last evening the goods were recovered by Inspectors Laflamme and Allen.

The Ward 2 Pearson rally will be held on Thursday evening in Jackson hall and will be addressed by Hon. John Welch, Hon. Fisher H. Pearson, James F. Owens, Anthony A. Conway and J. E. Venne.

2 O'CLOCK

A ROUSING RALLY

By Democrats of Ward Four Last Night.

HON. FISHER H. PEARSON CONDEMNS PERSONALITIES

And Answers Some of His Critics.

The Pearson supporters to the number of some 450 assembled at the Lyon street school last evening and for an enthusiastic gathering, nothing in the history of local politics this year or former years ever equalled it. Mr. Robert Hurley called the meeting to order and introduced Mr. Martin Hyde as chairman, who after a few timely hints, introduced Hon. Fisher H. Pearson.

Mr. Pearson received a great ovation when he took the platform and spoke as follows: "I had hoped that the campaign now on would be devoid of all personality and would be conducted in an honorable and friendly manner, but regret to say that it has been made otherwise. I do not intend to say anything derogatory to Mr. Cummings, as I consider him a gentleman and feel that he would make a good mayor if nominated and elected." He also criticized the address delivered by Mr. Dowd at Cumming's Sabbath meeting in Jackson hall relative to redistricting the city of Lowell, claiming that Mr. Dowd pointed out the error in the plans of the republicans in their scheme for the gerrymandering of the city. With this error uncorrected the bill could not have passed without escaping the scrutiny of the courts and democrats would have had a proper representation in the Common Council for another year at least. He closed by urging all democrats to go to the polls on election day, November 2.

Mr. Oliver A. Libby followed Mr. Pearson, saying "It is about twenty years since I spoke to the democrats of Ward Four. I have always suggested the candidate chosen by the party in caucus. I favor Mr. Pearson because he is the strongest man that the party could nominate this year, because he can poll more votes than his opponent. Mr. Pearson is a man who will stand by his party, as well as give the city a sound business administration. He did not approve of throwing slops and opening up a cesspool that would disgust all citizens alike. His only wish was to see the man nominated who could command the largest number of votes on election day. If the party nominated Mr. Cummings, he would of course, support him, but he believed Mr. Pearson was the strongest man and was the condidate of the plain, straight democrats.

Hon. John Welch followed Mr. Libby and said: "Democrats of Ward Four, there is no man I would rather have introduce me than Martin Hyde, a sterling democrat of the old school." Referring to the remarks of Daniel J. Donohue (laughter) at yesterday's Cummings's meeting, he asked how good a democrat he was last year, when he had not the courage to vote at the state and national election? He did not desire to say a word against Mr. Cummings, who was a gentleman and a democrat, but he only asked was Marcellus Fletcher a democrat last year when he openly supported James W. Bennett at the polls, now a supporter of Mr. Cummings unless he thought Mr. Bennett could beat Cummings and could not defeat Pearson.

If Mr. Cummings was so strong a candidate before the people and was always so willing to shoulder the burdens of democracy, why did he decline an unanimous nomination for the board of aldermen last year, when strongly urged to accept by many prominent democrats? Mr. Pearson has fought the battles of democracy in season and out of season and has never sulked after defeat or changed in his democracy after victory. Mr. Donohue does well in attacking the administration of the postoffice, he of all men. Let him compare the record of democracy in the postoffice under Gardner W. Pearson and that of the present alleged democratic mayor, Mr. Donohue's partner and patron. Had the present mayor been the right kind of a democrat he would have made all his appointments January 1, and not waited for the republican legislature to deprive him of the power. The only man he did so appoint, Dick Bray, still holds his place.

Why is it that the Courier and Citizen are so anxious to see Mr. Cummings nominated? Did anyone ever accuse those organs of being democratic? With the city treasurer, license commissioner and a member of the Board of Health on its staff, do they want a strong democratic nominated, and who when elected, would take away those fat offices from them? No: much. They fear if Mr. Pearson is nominated, he will be elected and with a democratic Board of Aldermen at his back.

Is it not significant that Mr. Cummings' friends should champion the police commission as now constituted and that the Courier-Citizen should give them two columns of their valuable space for their remarks. "Just stop and think about this."

Thomas H. Muldoon, the next speaker, paid his respects to the men who were the most active supporters of Mr. Cummings and incidentally squelched one John T. Caseely, a Cummings man who attempted in a disorderly manner to interrupt the meeting.

Anthony A. Conway was received with applause and said he was a democrat, first, last and always. He had believed that a third candidate who has withdrawn was the strongest and he had supported him in preference to any other. Now he considered that from Mr. Pearson's record as a straight hard working democrat in victory and defeat, in season and out of season, and as a vote getter who recently ran ahead of his ticket, he was the man to nominate.

While personally on the best of terms with Mr. Cummings he did not believe he had the right kind of supporters. He did not like to see a republican newspaper, so persistently and unnecessarily booming a democratic candidate for office. It looked as if there was some strong reason for it.

What radical change in the police commission does Mr. Donahue intimate that Mr. Pearson intends to make? A republican commissioner's term expires next year and Mr. Pearson will appoint a democrat in his place. Would Mr. Donohue have him re-appoint a republican? I challenge Mr. Donohue or any other man to name one man to whom Mr. Pearson has promised the place of license commissioner.

Frank McMahon, one of the councilmanic candidates in Ward Two, held a meeting of his friends Sunday, and they reported that his nomination is a sure thing.

"I also believe," said a writer in the Sunday Press, "that to Mr. Pearson belongs the nomination this year. The present incumbent of the Mayor's chair received the nomination several times, I believe, before he was elected and year after year his friends said the nomination belonged to him because he made a good fight the year before. After Courtney's holding the office two years, all that any democrat is supposed to be entitled to, Mr. Pearson's friends placed him in the field as a candidate last year. He was defeated for the nomination through the efforts of a certain combination of office holders and their beneficiaries and by a large republican vote at the democratic caucuses, and I think he is entitled to the nomination this year."

The candidacy of Mr. J. G. Duffy, the 27th district, is being looked upon with growing favor, both by the members of the democratic party and those who are interested in the general welfare of the district.

Mr. Duffy is a young man but those most intimately associated with him know that he has the qualities which are essential to the making of an able servant of the party and of the state.

One thing is sure, that no man who desires to see the party lived up to, preserved, or who desires a representation, such as the people want in the 27th district, will look with disfavor upon the nomination of Mr. Joseph G. Duffy.

The other day while getting a new hat, I noticed an immense pile of bundles in a corner of the store. The clerk told me these were hats left by customers when they bought a new hat. The name of the owner is put on each bundle, so that there will be no mistake, but often the man forgets to call, and the bundles accumulate. Then they are stored away for a few days. This is a bonanza for tramps, who know all about the to-be-called for department and improve the opportunity with advantage. Some of these hats are very good, too, and a few of them find their way to stores where they are revamped and again sold. As for the straw hats, I have an idea that they may feed fires in the winter.

DRONIN AND PEPIN ARE DISCHARGED.

The jury in the case of Dronin and Pepin this morning returned a verdict of not guilty and the defendants were discharged.

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TIMELY ILLUSTRATIONS.

MAUD GONNE, IRELAND'S JOAN OF ARC.
Miss Maud Gonne, whose work has gained for her the title of "Ireland's Joan of Arc," has begun a lecture tour throughout this country in aid of the Wolfe Tone Monument Fund and amnesty for Irish political prisoners still confined in English jails.

PRINCE KRAPOTKINE, THE ANARCHIST.
Prince Krapotkine, anarchist and scientist, who is now in this country, belongs to one of the noblest families in Russia and was educated in the imperial palace. In 1872 he was sentenced to life imprisonment for complicity in an attempt on the czar's life, but he soon escaped. He makes his home in London.

"BACCHANTE" AND "THE SPIRIT OF RESEARCH."
"The Spirit of Research" is the title of the bronze statue which is to occupy the place in the Boston library that was intended for Macmonnies' "Bacchante." It is by Fernando Miranda, of New York, and the idea was submitted to and approved by the trustees before the work was commenced.

THE WORLD'S GREATEST GUN.
The largest gun ever built in the world is now being constructed at the Bethlehem Iron Works for the defense of New York harbor. This enormous piece of ordnance will weigh, when completed, 126 tons. It will exceed by 6 tons weight the monster gun which Krupp, of Germany, exhibited at the World's Fair in Chicago, and it will be nearly 5 feet longer than the German gun. It will be mounted on Romer Shoal, where it will have a full sweep of the channels leading into New York harbor. There is not, it is declared, a vessel afloat today with armor of sufficient strength to resist a 2,300 pound shot from the big gun.

OF SCHOOL BOARD

Held a Very Brief Meeting Last Night.

SUPT. WHITCOMB REPORTS ON EVENING SCHOOLS.

The Sub Committees Submit Their Report.

The school board held a very brief session last night at which only a small amount of business was transacted.

It was 9 o'clock when Chairman Swapp called to order. Every member was present.

The committee on teachers recommended that certificates of the first grade be granted to Roger C. Eastman, and Oscar E. Pease, and that certificates of the sixth grade be granted to those who had passed the recent examination for evening school teachers. The report was accepted and adopted.

The evening school teachers recommended by the evening school committee were re-elected.

The committee on music recommended that pupils in the eighth and ninth grades be excused from music lessons, provided they cannot sing. The matter was referred to the committee on rules.

The committee on drawing asked for $250 to purchase material for the school. The report was accepted and adopted.

Supt. Whitcomb said that the evening schools had opened with 137 teachers and 2189 pupils. He said that about 300 had failed to pass the entrance examination to the High school. He stated that in every elementary school there is provided for these pupils a special class where they will receive proper attention.

Mr. Mulligan called attention to the fact that people residing in the vicinity of Suffolk and Lagrange streets object to sending their children to the new Bartlett school on acount of the distance and would like to have them transferred to the Green school. The matter was referred to Messrs. Swapp and Farley, sub-committee of the schools. The board then adjourned.

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DANA'S ADVICE

TO YOUNG JOURNALISTS IN BRIEF FORM.

Among Charles A. Dana's ideas for young journalists, the following may be quoted:

Get the news and get all the news, and nothing but the news.

Never print an interview without the knowledge and consent of the party concerned.

Never print a paid advertisement as news matter. Let every advertisement appear as an advertisement—no sailing under false colors.

Never attack the weak or the defenseless, either by argument, by invective or by ridicule, unless there is some absolute public necessity for so doing.

Fight for youropinions but don't believe they contain the whole truth, or the only truth.

Present yoru party, if you have one, but do not think all the good men are in it and all the bad men outside of it.

Above all, know and believe humanity is advancing, and that there is progress in life and human affairs and that as sure as God lives, the future greater and better than the present or the past.

Mr. Dana was recently interviewed.

"Is a college education a necessity to the making of a good journalist?" he was asked.

"I think it is a good thing for a man to have a college education," replied Mr. Dana, "but I don't think it a necessity. A college-bred man has a better trained mind, and as a rule, he can use his faculties to better advantage, still, the boy who is self-educated, often surpasses him who is college-bred."

"Please give me a word of advice for the young newspaper men of today. What should they do to succeed?"

"Tell the truth and shame the devil."

BOXING GOSSIP

There are several interesting bouts scheduled for this week in the following list:

Tuesday—Martin Flaherty vs. Larry Burns, 20 rounds, Manhattan A. C., Troy.

Thursday—Jery Calahan vs. Patsey Reardon, 8 rounds, Lewiston. Martin Flaherty vs. Denny McBride, Horizon A. C., Bridgeport.

Friday—George Lavigne vs. Joe Walcott, 20 rounds, San Francisco.

Saturday—George McFadden vs. Jim Popp, Toronto. Caspar Leon vs. J. Glynn, New York.

The current week is not to be overcrowded with star fistic events, but enough are scheduled to satisfy anybody that interest in the game is at fever heat.

Martin Flaherty is down for two 20-round contests during the current week He meets Lary Burns at the Manhattan A. C., Troy, tonight, and Danny McBride at the Horizon A. C., of Bridgeport on Thursday night. Flaherty has met both men in previous contests—winning and losing with McBride and getting a 15-round draw with Burns in Buffalo. Whether Martin can successfully negotiate the two men with but a day's rest between contests remains to be seen.

Jim Popp, the Canadian 130-pound man, is another boxer who has two tracts on hand for this week. Last night he faced Hiram Goldstein at the Rienzi club of Rochester, On Thursday Popp is to meet George McFadden at Toronto. McFadden is the New Yorker who fought Spike Sullivan to a standstill in a 20-round battle, the result being a draw. Popp is likely to be a bit bruised up after his Goldstein bout, and this makes it comparatively easy for McFadden.

Joe Mullins has returned to Boston after an extended trip through Maine, during which he knocked out William Albert in three rounds, Ike Talbot in three rounds, and had a sixround draw with Isadore Strauss. Mullins tried hard to get on a match with Mike Daly, but was unsuccessful. "I am ready to meet Kid McPartland at any time under fair conditions," he says, "and I don't intend to let the matter drop until I get a definite answer as to whether McPartlandwill meet me or not. If McPartland doesn't make a match, I am ready to meet any 130-pound man in the country."

Kid McCoy doesn't seem to be able to do better than pick a mark, then box him a light exhibition bout. McCoy's showing against Con Riley at Chicago on Saturday night doesn't seem to indicate that the Kid is letting himself out to any extent.

CRISP GOSSIP

Speaking of popular songs, one can scarcely imagine the number of compositions that are written monthly. And yet so few "catch on." One of the songs that Miss Comer first introduced, "Take Back Your Gold," has had the enormous sale of nearly 1,000,000 copies. Another, which she is singing this week, "I Was Once Your Wife," though but a few weeks old, has already had a wide output; while a third, a strong descriptive work, entitled "Just For the Sake of Our Daughter," can scarcely be printed fast enough by the publishers. On each of these songs, thousands of dollars are expected to be made, chiefly through this marvelous artiste's singing thereof. Is it any marvel, therefore, that hundreds of song writers and publishers watch the stage door for her exit daily and hundreds more burn the midnight oil nightly in pursuit of the simple tune that might bring them fame and nuggets?

A friend of mine, reading in several papers an item to the effect that a California woman owns a very useful pigeon, which every morning just after breakfast, flies to the post office and carries home the letters to the whole family, wants to know what there is remarkable about that or, as he puts it: "What on earth is a carrier pigeon for, anyway?"

If brotherhood of man means heaven on earth, then some of the politicians in this city will never have the pleasure of a heavenly existence.

There already have been three hangings in the Klondike and six suicides. Whether Judge Lynch pronounced the sentence in the first mentioned cases, is not stated.

LIBERTY IN NICARAGUA.

Leon, Nicaragua, Oct. 25.—Several hundred prominent citizens of the best classes are now in prison by order of President Zelaya or his officers. Each of these prisoners has been heavily fined, or a demand has been made upon him to pay a large forced loan to Zelaya's government. More than 100 of these citizens are imprisoned in the penitentiary.

The charges against them are not being in sympathy with Zelaya's government, having sided with the revolutionists against his government in some way, or having refused to pay or declared inability to pay the amount of the forced loan demanded of them. The prisoners are being tried by military courts, usually composed of men of slight intelligence, who hear witnesses of less intelligence. In addition the latter are always ready, without any religious or moral scruples, to make so-called "confessions" implicating the accused.

It is alleged that the congress of Nicaragua proposed to sell to either side, or to anyone who had the money and who would be able and willing to subscribe a few million dollars for "personal considerations," the right to construct an inter-oceanic canal across Nicaragua. "Let the governments of Great Britain and of the United States fight it out; the one who will pay the most is the one now needed in Nicaragua," was the substance of the declarations in the Nicaraguan congress.

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SUPERIOR COURT

The Fall Term Is Now In Session.

PLEAS OF GUILTY TAKEN SENTENCES IMPOSED.

William Singleton Receives One Year.

The first day at the criminal session of the Superior court which opened yesterday, with Judge Wardwell presiding was a busy one, and quite a number of sentences were imposed.

Rev. Charles T. Billings of the Unitarian church delivered the opening prayer and the juries were impanelled and are as follows:

First Jury—James A. Armstrong, Malden; Benjamin F. Blaisdell, Jr., Carlisle; George E. Blake, Watertown; Andrew Conlan, Cambridge; Wm. J. Dowling, Cambridge; Charles W. Durant, Lowell; John M. L. Enman, Winchester; Joseph Farley, Lowell; Benjamin F. French, Dunstable; Frank M. Goddard, Bedford.

Second Jury—Alva H. Richardson, Chelmsford, foreman; John H. Hayward, Ashby; Frank H. Hildreth, Westford; William H. Hutchins, Billerica; Fred L. Knapp, Lowell; Thomas McDermott, Cambridge; Henry F. McGrath, Everett; Charles T. Melvin, Chelmsford; Edgar W. Asborn, Somerville; Coburn S. Smith, Billerica; Herman C. Teele, Stoneham.

Supernumeraries— George Angier, Newton; Avery B. Clark; Lowell; Sanford B. Hubbard, Cambridge; Neil McDonald, Cambridge; Walter H. Titcomb, Littleton; Hiram Whitney, Westford; Charles W. Wilder, Lowell; Henry D. Wilder, Malden; John L. Young, Framingham.

As is usual at the criminal session, the attendance packed the court room, the unemployed being represented in great numbers.

When the juries had been impanelled, a number of cases were called wherein the defendants desired to change their pleas.

Albert Miller and Emma Wood pleaded guilty to the charge of adultery and were fined $50 each.

District-Attorney Wier and Assistant-Attorney Sanderson conducted the cases of the government and the local police officials were well represented there.

William Singleton pleaded guilty of adultery. His wife, who left him a long time ago, testified against him. Singleton was sentenced to the house of correction for one year.

Cornelia Eno received 18 months in the house of correction for adultery and polygamy. She married James H. Jones, a colored man, while she had another husband alive whose name is Mahan. Jones testified that he didn't know she had a husband living when he married her.

Annie Daly, a white woman, and John Means, colored, were tried for adultery and both addressed the jury. Means received 12 months in the house of correction and the woman got one year in jail.

Patrick Farrell and Mary Kane were found guilty of illicit co-habitation and were sentenced, Farrell to six months in the house of correction and the Kane woman to 12 months in jail.

Martin J. Cosgrove, a youthful burglar, was sent to jail for two months, having pleaded guilty to the charge against him.

Mary J. Holt, a young girl, pleaded guilty of forgery and entering a forged order for pay at one of the mills. She had been in jail for four months awaiting trial and Major Noyes, who arrested her took her on probation.

There are no very big cases on this term's list, to use an expresion common to the habitues of the court and the session will be a short one.

The Harris murder trial may take place in Lowell.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The afternoon session of the court opened at 2.30 o'clock, with the case of Joseph Dronin and Theodule Pepin charged with indecent assault upon Philomena C. Ward. The defendants were called together and they pleaded not guilty, both being without counsel.

After a very brief opening by District-Attorney Wier, Mrs. P. H. Corey, grandmother of the little girl, was called. She testified that she lived on Marlborough street and that the little girl was stopping with her during the vacation. The two defendants were employed by her as painters at the time it being in the latter part of June.

The complainant, Philomena C. Ward, a pretty little miss of eight years, was the next witness and she testified to the disgusting details of the alleged assault. The defendants attempted no cross-examination.

Dr. C. H. Ricker testified to having made an examination of the plaintiff, the facts of which tended to show an assault.

At the request of Pepin the little girl was recalled for cross-examination.

This closed the Commonwealth's case and both defendants were sworn.

Pepin testified in English and had much talk about his business relations with the grandmother of the little girl, but nothing in relation to the alleged assault. On cross-examination he said that he had lived in Lowell for the past fifteen years but spent a few years in Boston and Cambridge.

Dronin testified that the little girl was about the house bothering them the whole time they were working there. They told the woman of the house not to leave her around and the women said they couldn't control her. Then they telephoned to the grandmother to take her away and she was kept at her grandmother's store for two days.

A servant at the house was called by the defendants.

Both defendants spoke briefly and Dronin said that the case was trumped up against them because they had hired a lawyer to get pay from Mrs. Corey. After a brief charge the case was submitted to the jury.

EDWARD P. SIMMONS TRIED.

The case of Edward P. Simmons, who is charged with breaking and entering George L. Cady's bicycle store and larceny therefrom of a bicycle; also with receiving the stolen property was then called. Simmons was without counsel and pleaded not guilty. District Attorney Wier in his brief opening explained the two counts, which were inconsistent, that is, he could be found guilty on but one of the two counts.

At this point court adjourned until 9.30 o'clock this morning, with the jury in the case of Pepin and Dronin still out.

Defaults were ordered in the following cases: Thomas Allen, John J. Berry, Mary E. Howe, James Delorme, Joseph Burke, John Lynch, Edward F. Tighe, Robert Henry, John F. Noyes, Terence P. Doran, Thomas Johnson.

THE BIG SWINDLE

By Which the Government Is to Lose

OVER TWENTY MILLIONS UNLESS PROMPT MEASURES

Are Adopted to Prevent the Steal.

Bidders in the sale of the Union Pacific railroad property in November, would be permitted to use first mortgage bond in settlement, and so it happened that the reorganization committee controlled all of these bonds. The sale could be jammed through, and the papers delivered before Congress could meet. No one will deny that there are very few bidders who can conveniently carry around or raise in sixty days, a trifle of $115,000,000 in cash, or at least not without involving trade disturbance. If all the three big railroads entering Omaha from the East, except the Chicago and Northwestern, were to join hands and bid for this property they would encounter impossible conditions in the decree of sale. It, therefore, became evident that no bidder could compete with the Wall street pool, and that the $25,000,000 profits which had been anticipated by that pool in this branch of the deal could be assured.

A SOP TO McKINLEY.

At one time, in the course of the adjustment of these important negotiations it was represented to the reorganizers that they would strike difficulties unless they could make it appear that the present administration had made a better bargain than the Cleveland officials, so it was announced on Saturday last by Attorney-General McKenna that the reorganization committee "came forward with an increased bid of $4,000,000, making the total of their gaurantee pool $50,000,000 instead of $45,745,059.99, an increase of $4,245,941.

The Attorney-General explained: "This increase removed the objections to the decree (of sale) as far as the money contentions were concerned. In all else the decrees were just and satisfactory. There will be a bid for the roads of $50,000,000 over and above the first mortgage, and besides the benefit of absolute freedom of competition at the sale. The Government may, therefore, secure its whole claim through a higher bid. It is sure of fifty millions."

In the Government's sinking fund there is an accumulation of $17,062,000. which the bid will obtain under this arrangement.Therefore the blind pool will make a net payment on account of the Government's debt of only $32,948,000, if it gets the road for $50,000,000.

The gain to the Wall street pool will therefore, be as follows:

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The Union Pacific credits on this debt are:		
Government transportation and payments on account net earnings..	$21,507,936.33	
Sinking fund accumulations..........	17,062,000.00	38,569,936.33
Present debt of Union Pacific to Government......		$53,715,408.03
Cash payment to be made by blind pool............		32,948,000.00
Less to Government...:....		$20,768,408.00

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Made of miners, am I bold
In asking if this Klondike gold
Was wisely planned there by you—
With reference to November 2?

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That I should think this dollar wheat
Resulted from some things you knew—
With reference to November 2?

Made of miners, do I rave
In promising a deep, deep grave
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—J. Syme-Hastings.

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LAWRENCE MAN MISSING.

Thomas Gorman, 24 years old, disappeared from his home Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and no trace of his whereabouts has yet been found. Gorman for the past five or six years has been confined in aninstitution at Waverly for weak-minded persons. During the summer he was brought home by his parents and went to live with them at 4 Melrose street. He is considered harmless. As he had a passion for going into the woods near Glen Forest, a searching party was organized Sunday and the woods in that vicinity were scoured in every direction, but without success. The police of this city, Andover, Methuen, Lowell and Haverhill were notified and a description of Gorman given them.—Lawrence Eagle.

BARBERS WON GAME

The barbers and the milkmen played the fourth game of the season on the North common yesterday and the milkmen won by a score of 22 to 12.

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The test was the amputation of the lower third of the right leg of a man 68 years old without the use of either chloroform or ether, followed by the rapid and painless healing of the stump. The disease which necessitated the removal of the leg was the death of the bones of the foot, ankle and leg.

As much of the eucaine was put into two or three tablespoonfuls of water as the water would dissolve, and with a hypodermic syringe a few drops of the solution were injected under the skin. About an inch from the center of the injection another was made and then another, until the limb was girdled by them at the place where it was intended to amputate.

After waiting five minutes to allow of the superficial tissues becoming insensible, the needle was thrust deeply into the muscles and further injections were made. In a few minutes all that portion of the leg, including three or four inches above and below the ring of injections, was found to be destitute of feeling and the operation of cutting off the limb was proceeded with exactly as if the patient were under chloroform.

When the deeper tissues were cut into, a slight smarting sensation was experienced a few times by the patient. This was immediately relieved by the application of a little more of the solution directly to the seat of the discomfort. No other pain was experienced.

The operation was performed in the forenoon, and an hour after the dressing of the stump the patient was sitting up in bed eating dinner. At the end of nine days the dressings were removed, the stitches taken out and the stump was found to be entirely healed. The patient's general health has much improved since the operation.—Chicago Times-Herald.

Coughed Up a Gold Ring.

A family named Gardner started by wagon recently to move from Guilford to Lyme, Conn. They bought a lot of baker's goods for the journey, and at noon a loaf of cake was taken out of the basket, cut and passed around.

The 5-year-old daughter of the family started to eat her piece greedily when she was seized with a coughing fit. Death seemed near when her father caught her up and began to pound her on the back. In a moment she coughed up a gold ring, and then was all right.

The ring was plain and somewhat worn. It looks as though it had come off from the hand of the person who prepared the dough for the cake.—Exchange.

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Dr. Toboldt's lecture, with table of cases treated, will be mailed to any address upon application to the agents of the Carlsbad Spring, EISNER & MENDELSON CO., New York.

FOR GOLD SEEKERS.

ALEXANDER G. WILSON OFFERS SOME GOOD ADVICE.

He Gives the Results of His Experience In Alaska—The Riches of the Country Have Not Been Magnified—Some Misstatements Corrected.

Alexander G. Wilson, the St. Louisan who recently returned from the Klondike gold diggings, has written the following interesting statements for the special benefit of would be gold seekers:

"Since my return from the goldfields of Alaska I have received innumerable letters asking for information in regard to Alaska, and particularly the Klondike region.

"I will say in the start it is not a place for any but the stoutest in heart as well as in body and limb; that all who go in there and prospect industriously and intelligently do not find gold enough to repay them. It is true that the majority so far have done well or expect great results from their prospects later on, but those who go into Alaska next year to mine and prospect will have to seek pastures new, as claims on the Klondike and its creeks and benches are all taken for a distance of 90 miles up the river, and to buy an interest in any of the rich ones would cost a large fortune, although fair claims in Circle City district (about $15 a day prospects) can be purchased for a nominal sum—$500 and up. Many of the lucky ones now holding rich claims on the Klondike have been prospecting in bleak Alaska off and on for the last 10 or 15 years and deserve their success.

"To penetrate into new territory after reaching the Yukon valley requires poling a boat up swift running streams, portaging around rapids and bad places (and one will be confounded at the number of them) and handicapped by the clothing and outfit that are necessary to wear to protect you from the mosquito plague. Only those who have had the experience are able to realize what a job it is to pole a boat against a ten mile current and fight against these odds. Two men will do well to average five miles a day. As you ascend the stream you will make frequent stops not only to rest, but also to prospect on what you may think likely creeks and places. Every hole you sink through the frozen ground to bedrock requires from one to three weeks' hard work, according to the depth, and if the gravel at bedrock does not pay you are out that much time and work, and time is precious in Alaska, for there are only about 90 days in summer in which you can prospect. There is no use in sinking a shaft unless it is sunk to bedrock, however deep that may be. It is a 'no count' prospect that does not pan out at least $20 a day per man when sluiced. So you see these holes become very expensive if one is so unfortunate as to sink many of them in poor or barren gravel, and barren dirt in Alaska is not so uncommon as you might think, considering all that has been published about the Klondike.

"There is no question in the minds of all who have been there but that there are other districts and streams in Alaska which will rival the far famed Klondike, but they remain to be discovered, and a greenhorn is as likely to find them as any old timer. There are big, strong men in Dawson City today who have been lying in wait all summer for just such a possibility, who are prepared at a moment's notice to take advantage of the news when it reaches them, and get there, pick and shovel, in order to be among the first to stake claims. If a miner was to come into the town for a fresh supply of grub from other than the Klondike and displayed considerable dust, but was chary with the information as to where he got it, he would have a procession following his trail back that would half depopulate the town. Every prospector who comes into Dawson City from any new district or creek is pounced upon as eagerly and anxiously as were we when we landed at Seattle on our return from the Klondike in the schooner Volant. The gold fever in and around the Klondike is very infectious.

"I have been quoted as saying that men die in Dawson City from heat troubles. That is ridiculous. Although the temperature there in summer for about a month is quite hot, I never heard of any heat prostrations. I said heart troubles—heart disease—caused by overexcitement. I have also been quoted to the effect that 'the placer claims on the Klondike can be worked over every spring, owing to the fact that the freshets bring down new pay dirt from the mountains.' That is also an error. I referred only to bar claims in the large rivers. These bars can be worked over every year, as fresh deposits of flour gold are caught continually. This is called 'sniping.' Gold dust is found only on the surface of these bars to a depth of about six inches. The reporter also credited me with saying 'there is no limit to the number of claims any one person may stake in a district on the American side.' That is wrong. One claim of 20 acres is all that any one may stake out. That is the miners' law which prevails in Alaska, owing to its distance from the United States. To take up a claim on the American side costs $2.50 for recording fee; on the Canadian side it is $15.

"Nearly all applicants for information on the subject of mining in Alaska desire to know what is the best route to the Klondike. The water route, by way of St. Michael's and up the Yukon river by steamer 1,600 miles to Dawson City, is the easiest way to get in, but it lands you there rather late in June, even if you are fortunate enough to secure passage on the first boat up. The fare from Seattle to St. Michael's is $120, and from St. Michael's to Dawson City $80, allowing 150 pounds baggage. The transportation companies do not carry freight or provisions for anybody, thus compelling those who go in with them to buy their provisions from the company at the company's prices. This is a rather expensive way of getting in. The Dalton trail I know nothing of, not having been over it or seen any one who had.

"The overland route through Chilkat pass to the headwaters of the Yukon and thence down that stream is by all odds the cheapest way to get in, providing a man builds his own boat and does his own packing, but it is a very dangerous and laborious one. Some who go over this route will turn back at the first real hardship. Others will turn back when only half the trip is made, and some who go forth may never return, but may find, instead of the fortune they seek, an icy sepulcher in a region of perpetual snow or a watery grave at the bottom of some treacherous river or lake in the north. But any man, sound in health, who uses good judgment and common sense can get through all right next spring, as the dangers are now better understood and provided against. The start should be made from Juneau not later than the fore part of April in order to have the advantage of snow and ice for sledging purposes, and not earlier than the middle of February to have a chance for escaping the blizzards of Chilkat pass.

"Sufficient supplies to last a year, or at least six months, should be taken in by every man entering that desolate country, and tools, picks, shovels, nails, rifle and shotgun must not be forgotten. Your shotgun will be found very serviceable in supplying small game for the frying pan. A gill net for fishing is also a great convenience. The importance of taking in a good outfit cannot be overestimated. The comfort in having all that is necessary will more than compensate for the trouble of packing. It is a mistake to go in light. A good outfit will consist of the following articles and supplies for one man for one year: Provisions—100 pounds beans, 75 pounds dried fruit, 250 pounds bacon, 400 pounds flour, 12 pounds tea, 50 pounds sugar, 10 pounds baking powder, 3 packages yeast cakes, 1 pound soda, 12 bars soap, 15 pounds salt, 1 pound ginger, 25 pounds evaporated potatoes, 10 pounds evaporated onions, 50 pounds cornmeal, 50 pounds rolled oats, 3 tins of pepper, 50 pounds rice, 12 cans condensed milk. Tools, etc.—3 picks, 1 shovel, 1 ax, 100 feet quarter inch rope, 1 sled, 1 whipsaw, 15 pounds nails, 5 pounds pitch, 3 pounds oakum, 1 gold pan, 1 jack plane, 1 hand saw, 1 rip saw, 1 set of files, 1 emery stone, 1 hatchet, 8 by 10 tent, 1 Yukon stove and cooking utensils, 1 pack strap, 1 sleeping-bag.

"This list of provisions may appear rather too varied to some, but you must have ample strengthening food in order to withstand the work, and a variety is necessary to obviate scurvy. Medicine in the shape of cathartics and quinine is also necessary.

"In most of the letters written me I have been asked, 'Where is the best place to prospect?' I wish I could answer that, but I don't think anybody can. There are many hundreds of miles of ground in the Yukon valley that have all the appearances of the Klondike, and there are many other valleys nearly as large as the Yukon in this vast country that have never been touched by pick or shovel. The valley drained by the Tanunah river is one of these. It is over 800 miles long and is navigable by steamers for a distance of 200 miles from where it enters the Yukon. It is thought to drain a section of country as rich as if not richer in free gold than that through which the Yukon passes. Still, there is another section there is reason to believe will be found exceptionately rich. This is the Stuart river district, and lies about 200 miles southeast of Dawson City, and is thought to be about 400 miles long. Neither Tanunah nor the Steart country can be said to have ever been trodden by the foot of white man nor by the Yukon Indians. Copper river district is another one that promises great results to the party that has the nerve and indomitable energy to scale its foaming current. White river, which enters the Yukon nine miles above Stuart on the west side, nobody knows anything about, but is believed to drain a rich section. All these immense districts are very hard of access, and if a band of hardy men ever attempt to penetrate into any of them they must count on bidding goodby to friends and civilization for at least three years, and more likely five. Minnute creek, about 600 miles below Dawson, is the latest rich discovery. The gold taken from that district is of more refined quality than that at Klondike. This creek is only lightly staked and prospected.

"As a last injunction to those who intend trying their luck in Alaska I will say: Don't rush. Take your time. Don't be afraid of others beating you. Don't get excited. Keep a cool head. Remember there is plenty of territory there for all, and gold, too, when it is found. If you are afraid of bad places you meet on the rivers, take the safe course and portage round. If you are fortunate enough to discover rich gravel, don't try to work it out in a summer or a winter. Do a fair day's work on it every day of ten hours. Sleep and rest the other 14. Many a strong man has killed himself up in that faraway country through overwork. Some of them will toil 12 or 14 hours every day on short rations, and thereby lose their health, so greedy are they."—Alex G. Wilson in St. Louis Republic.

Charles A. Dana.

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—W. R. Rose in Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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STORIES OF ALASKA.

OPINION OF A TRAVELER REGARDING THE KLONDIKE.

Dr. Ashley Says That American Traders Have Robbed the People There — Gold Is Plentiful—Wealth of Alaska Lies In Her Fisheries.

Branscomb Ashley has traveled in every known country on the face of the globe, for years surgeon major in the English army, a newspaper writer and a man of the world generally.

There is perhaps no man in the United States who is better posted on Alaska and the Klondike than Dr. Ashley. He spent two years in the country, and every foot of it is familiar to him.

In reply to a recent request to speak of Alaska as it is today he said:

"My object in going to Alaska was to study the country—its tribes, peoples and customs—and I found it a most interesting study and one out of the usual channel. This Klondike fever is but a repetition of previous gold crazes of Alaska. About six years ago there was a similar mania and a tremendous exodus from the Puget sound country to Cook's Inlet. There was much gold taken out of the country at that time, and there still is a great deal of it there.

"The difficulties of mining, and particularly placer mining, are such that without the proper equipment it cannot be successful. The climate is such that one coming from the United States labors under difficulties unthought of, which accounts for so many expeditions being unsuccessful. The country is filled with abandoned mining enterprises.

"I am amazed at the consummate impudence of a great trading company in Alaska in booming the Klondike. It is one of the most gigantic attempts to build up a trade between the Pacific coast country of America and Alaska ever attempted. The Puget sound country has been depressed for several years, and this boom is nothing more or less than an attempt by the American trading companies to recoup themselves for tremendous losses in the Alaskan trade. Since the failure of the seal fisheries Alaska has gone to pieces and has taken with it, as is natural enough, the American companies.

"It is not generally known that this ruination of Alaska has been brought about by the extravagance of the tribes and clans of the country and the American traders by their greed and pride, a combination that would ruin any country on the face of the globe. There is a rivalry between the tribes and clans of each tribe in their potlaches or entertainments. Each tries to outdo the other.

"Not only are the immediate members of the family invited to these entertainments, but everybody else, whether Russian or Indian. The American trader has charged such prices as 50 cents per pound for very fat hams; preserved fruit, apple sauce for instance, $1 per gallon, and whisky at the rate of $15 per gallon. These entertainments cost all the way from $2,500 to $5,000, and you can easily imagine the drain it has been upon the ignorant inhabitants of Alaska.

"The result of such extravagance is that Fort Wrangell, or Wrangell, as it is commonly known, is nothing but a place of totem poles, empty houses and gaunt and hungry dogs. The only place in the country where there is life and motion is Juneau, which is kept up by the great Treadwell mines which are operated continuously and declare large dividends.

"This brings me back to Klondike. There is no question but what Klondike is rich in gold, but so, too, is the entire territory. You can walk along the streets of abandoned Wrangle and dig anywhere and find gold without taking the 2,000 mile trip up the Yukon to Dawson City. I remember once that I amused myself in the Frazier river, jumping from floating log to log and with my knife digging from out of the monarchs of the forest nuggets which had become embedded therein. This is but an example of the prevalence of gold in Alaska.

"The coast range on the Pacific side and its foothills and the streams that flow therefrom are filled with gold, which can be had for the labor of securing it. What is needed in Alaska is a complete and well equipped milling plant, with stamps of the various systems. In the Klondike all is distress. Pneumonia and typhus rage there, and there are no hospitals, well equipped drug stores or nurses, and the only thing for a man to do is to fight the battle with death himself.

"The wealth of Alaska lies in her fisheries, which are beyond the mind of man to comprehend. The streams are swarming with fish, and once at Wrangell myself and a few friends amused ourselves catching halibut from the rickety pier. Of all we caught not one weighed less than 85 pounds.

"It will take years to develop Alaska, but it is destined to be one of the richest countries on the face of the globe. This will come, however, only after the boom fever has ceased and the people have settled down to work, and such work as makes empires and nations."—St. Louis Republic.

Women the Only Stimulants.

The Kentucky Bankers' association, before adjourning its annual session in Frankfort, Ky., the other day, unanimously adopted a resolution complimenting and indorsing the local bankers for keeping wine off the table at the recent annual banquet, saying that it was recognized as a pleasing advancement and resolving that at all the annual banquets hereafter women should be among the guests "as the only stimulants there."

It is the first action of the kind ever taken by a Kentucky association of a similar character, and is exciting comment, coming from an organization at whose previous annual banquets wine has been as free as water and more freely consumed.—Chicago Times-Herald.

Lively Music at a Funeral.

At the funeral of Mrs. W. F. Bucher, wife of a retired merchant of Decatur, Ills., a full band was engaged to escort her body to the cemetery in fulfillment of an agreement made by the husband in the lifetime of his wife. The band played only lively airs on the way to the grave and funeral marches on the return, as Mrs. Bucher had said she did not want anything but gayety while she was above the earth.—New York World.

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Of Yesterday.

IS IT MURDER?

The Body of a Lowell Man Found in River.

HE WAS SEEN WITH TWO STRANGE MEN

Wandering in Lawrence Last Night.

The body of Joseph Courcie was found in the Merrimack river at Lawrence this morning. He resided in Market street or Regina Place in this city. He is about 25 years of age.

He was seen at midnight last night leaving Lawrence. By many it is believed he was under the influence of liquor and in his wanderings made his way into the river.

Several persons who saw him last night say that he was with two men. This makes the police suspicious and they think that probably he was thrown into the river with motives of murder. There was no mark of violence on the body. The body is at the warerooms of Undertaker Colby in Lawrence. A receipt found in his pocket was made out to C. Hayden.

UNION PACIFIC SALES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

New York, Oct. 25.—The Union Pacific re-organization committee today announced that the Attorney General has notified them that he will ask the court for an adjournment of the foreclosure sales of the Union Pacific and Kansas Pacific property to December 15th, so as to postpone the final disposition until after Congress meets. The committee, however, demand reorganization without further delay.

HORSEWHIPPED HIM.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Siloam, Ark., Oct. 25.—Mrs. Benjamin Sapp created a sensation here yesterday by horse whipping Cashier Morris of the Bank of Siloam. She claimed that Morris insulted her.

A BIG BIKE MEET.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 25.—Arrangements have been made to hold a bicycle meet in the Coliseum November 12 and 13, in which Michael, McDuffee, and Titus will appear.

MAGNIFICENT SHOWING.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Nashville, Tenn., Oct. 25—Last week's attendance broke all previous records at the Exposition. One hundred and eight thousand were registered. Total attendance to date is one million and a half. It closes on Saturday next.

COMMUNICATION

Please allow me in your valuable paper to say a few words in favor of the candidacy of Mr. Joseph J. Johnson, who is making a most thorough canvass. Mr. Johnson being born in Ward Two, certainly knows something of its needs, and being a thorough musician, he would make the most capable representative we could have to look after the interests of our schools on that branch, and a proof of his democracy is the fact that he is a thorough type of his brother, Dr. Stephen J. Johnson. It would be for the interests of our party if we had more like him. —Ward Two Voter.

STRIKE OFF

IN THE BROCKTON SOLE FASTENERS' CONTENTION.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Brockton, Mass., Oct. 25.—The great sole fasteners' strike was declared off this morning and the strikers were badly beaten. There was a general stampede this morning for old jobs. The strike has lasted five weeks and there were many desertions from the ranks.

SPAIN'S ANSWER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Washington, Oct. 25.—It was positively stated at noon today that the tively stated a noon today that the answer of Spain to the United States had not reached the President or Secretary Sherman.

BODY FOUND

OF AN UNKNOWN MAN IN THE MERRIMAC RIVER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Lawrence, Mass., Oct. 25.—The bod of an unknown man was found in the Merrimac river this morning. A receipt in his pockets was made out to C. Hayden.

INTERNATIONAL THIEF

WITH A LONG RECORD IN EUROPE AND AMERICA.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Boston, Oct. 25.—Since the arrest o' William Matthews on the charge of robbing mail boxes in Boston the postoffice authorities have learned that his arrest is more important than was at first supposed. He was one of a gang rounded up in New York in '95 and is one of the most daring and expert thieves, forgers, and burglars in the world. He has a long criminal record in Europe and America.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Judge Wardwell is on the bench. When the jurors had been impanelled the trial of numerous adultery cases was begun, sentence to be given later. Cornelia Eno, who was found guilty of polygamy, was sentenced to jail for 18 months.

CHALLENGE ACCEPTED

Mr. Cunningham accept Mr. Brady's challenge to run a forty yards dash and will meet him at the Gallagher house, Monday night, between 7 and 8 o'clock. Mr. Brady, having a very successful season at the business, Mr. Cunningham claims he will mow it down a little for him when they meet. He will run him for $50.
(Signed) Mr. Cunningham's Manager.

BIG STORM COMING.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Boston, Oct. 25.—The weather bureau has warned mariners on the New England coast of a dangerous northeast storm coming with a heavy gale.

THE GOLD FEVER

Strikes a New Hampshire Town.

ANDOVER FARMERS HAVE GONE GOLD CRAZY

Over a Small Find in the Town.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Andover, N. H., Oct. 25.—Prospectors who are searching for gold on Birch Hill near here are greatly encouraged over the outlook. A large pailful of dirt containing considerable gold was taken from a pocket six feet below the top of the ledge. Those owning the property here have caught the gold fever.

THE LATE DETAILS

Of New York's Railroad Horror.

SIX MORE BODIES HAVE BEEN RECOVERED.

Money and Jewelry Found in Wreck.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Garrison's, N. Y.—Oct. 25.—The gray day dawned 24 hours after the frightful happenings of yesterday upon a scene of greater litter and destruction than was displayed yesterday. The wreckage taken from the bottom was piled on the shore making a distressing sight. The car Glen Alpine was placed on the scow but no more bodies were found. A drizzling rain started in this morning. Six bodies were taken from the day coach last night and it is believed that more will be found. All the road builders on the system arrived this morning, and repairs on the tracks were at once started. A large amount of money and jewelry was found in the wreckage, of the cars which have been pulled out of the water. Divers are still at work trying to locate the missing engine and more bodies.

A corrected list of the dead gives the number as nineteen. There were scores injured, but none will die. The bones of the engineer and fireman have not yet been found. The coroner's jury will meet tomorrow night to investigate. The railroad commissioners and officials are also investigating.

NOVEL USE OF PAVEMENTS.

Street Preachers Converted Them Into Blackboards For Scriptural Illustrations.

Street preachers in Detroit have adopted a new way of impressing the truths of the Bible upon the minds of those who will not go to church. They not only use the streets for a temple and the curbstone for a pulpit, but they have converted the smooth asphalt pavement into blackboards.

An old man, with long, bushy whiskers, a beaver hat and eyeglasses recently held services daily a few feet west of the Bagley fountain. Clustered around him were 20 or 30 newsboys or street urchins, with a sprinkling of clerks and business men, who paused a moment on their way to luncheon to hear what the old man was talking about.

On the pavement in front of him were scrawled in white chalk Scriptural quotations, figures and other data with which he illustrates his sermons. With a long bony finger he pointed to the writing on the pavement as a Sunday school teacher would illustrate a lesson on a blackboard to a Bible class.—Detroit Journal.

LONG LOST CHARLEY ROSS.

Cripple Creek Miner Believes He Is the Missing Son.

A letter was recently received in Lebanon, Pa., bearing the date of Macon, Colo., Oct. 12, by Postmaster Walters, from a man who signs his name "William H. Thomas," in which the writer states that he believes he is the long lost Charley Ross, who was stolen from his home in Philadelphia more than 20 years ago. There are a number of families living in the vicinity of Lebanon by the name of Ross and the writer states that he learned through a Nebraska man of this fact.

The letter is poorly written and the spelling is bad. The writer says he is about 36 years old and claims to remember being stolen when a child in Pennsylvania and being taken to a Nashville orphans' home. He says he is now a miner in the Cripple Creek district.—Exchange.

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The friends of Mr. Cummings have made a mistake by inaugurating a campaign of personal abuse. Should Mr. Pearson answer in kind, the canvass would be a laughing stock and a disgrace, with the result that neither candidate could be elected.

Sir Edwin Arnold married his Japanese bride by taking a cup of tea with her. This is said to be the form of the marriage ceremony in Japan. But the cup of tea marriage would not do in England and Sir Edwin had to marry his bride over again. This was his third venture.

Alderman Peirce's order providing that all bills sent into the city treasury for payment shall be open to inspection by citizens contemplates a proper regard for the rights of taxpayers. It would help to remind the city authorities that they are but the servants, not the masters of the taxpayers.

Hon. George Fred Williams and Pierre Humbert, Jr., are two of the best political orators in the country. If the republicans or the gold democrats want the issues of the campaign discussed, they can be readily accommodated by either of these gentlemen. Perhaps the gold democrats would risk Dr. Everett in a discussion with one of them. If so, the two champions are ready.

The platform adopted by the democratic party at Worcester this fall takes strong ground in opposition to government by injunction. This plank of the platform says "judges who usurp the powers of the legislature and of the executive unlawfully invade personal liberty and forget that this is a government of laws and not of men."

The efforts of the Mail yesterday to have the public believe that either of the Pearsons spent the Sunday in a country camp playing base ball and other games is a sample of the "small politics" that constitute a leading feature of this campaign. With the Mail and the Citizen hammering Pearson, it seems that they both dread his nomination.

During the past few weeks not less than four or five persons have been shot by hunters in the Maine woods. It seems that men go there without any knowledge of the use of a gun and fire indiscriminately in all directions. The consequence is that people at a distance have been shot down, while the hunters have escaped. They should be punished for such criminal recklessness.

The city has now a costly manual training institution in the old Moody school, but it is valuable only to the High school scholars. The law makes it compulsory in the High school, but optional in the grammar schools. When will the school committee find it convenient to give the grammar school pupils a chance? Why should not manual training be taught in the evenings? There would be many students who would gladly embrace the opportunity of spending their evenings in this branch of study.

The desperate hold-up in a Lynn store on Saturady night was quite as bold as anything of the kind in the western states. Five men were covered with revolvers and compelled to throw up their hands while the highwaymen searched their pockets and plundered the store. This would not be quite so alarming were such occurrences less frequent in that locality. It seems that between Boston and Lynn there is great danger from highwaymen, even in broad daylight. It seems that while hold-ups are frequent the police should arrest every suspicious character.

By coming out in a public address in favor of any particular democratic candidate for the mayoralty, John J. Hennessey has proven that he is unfit to be chairman of the democratic city committee, even nominally for he says he is chairman but nominally. Who is it that dominates his course?—but that is easily conjectured. Mr. Hennessey should hold himself in readiness to unite all the elements of democracy in supoprt of the party nominee. By declaring emphatically for a particular candidate and against Mr. Pearson, he has ipso facto declared that no other democrat can have his support for the office of mayor. In doing that he has betrayed the party and should resign at once. He stands in the way of harmony and of victory unless the candidate of his choice is nominated.

The mayoralty caucuses will be held on Thursday evening of next week and then the contest between Mr. Pearson and Mr. Cummings will be decided. It behooves the democracy in the meantime to avoid anything that would result in a faction fight and lead to the defeat of the candidate nominated. Already some of the political disturbers, as they may be called, have been drafted into the campaign to pour out their abuse upon one of the candidates. These tactics will recoil upon the candidates they are intended to benefit, and will injure the party at the polls. No good democrat will resort to such tactics in the ante-caucus canvass.

CURRENT COMMENT

Hartford Courant—Any interference by the President of the United States in New York's municipal election would be a great official indecency and political folly. A great pity, too. The only municipal election in which he has a right to take part under existing circumstances in the election in Canton, O., and there he should confine himself strictly, as no doubt he will, to dropping William McKinley's ballot into the box.

Bangor Commercial—Personal vindictiveness should have no place in the conduct of a great newspaper. It is unwise and impolitic for a great and brilliant editor to be governed by them, as was Mr. Dana, and those who admired his brilliancy and ability, which were of a consummately high type, will have always to regret that Mr. Dana, great as he was, could not have been great and able enough to banish these characteristics from his policy and conduct as probably the greatest newspaper editor in America.

Springfield Republican—The struggle twcen the two ex-Confederate generals, Longstreet and Hampton, for the United States railroad commissionership, is finally decided in favor of Hampton, who now holds the place to which he was appointed by President Cleveland. Longstreet, with his young wife and added family cares in his old age, has ardently desired this office, for he is as poor as Hampton, and both are too poor to live on their reputations alone. Notwithstanding that Longstreet is a republican and helped McKinley obtain his nomination, Hampton's old republican friends in the Senate have influenced the President to retain him in office. The problem of what to do with Longstreet now confronts the administration. The old rebel chieftain must have a job, for he has upheld republican politics and Presidents in the South since reconstruction days.

New York Post—Platt is determined to connect the President with his fight possibly he does. He seems to have put great pressure on General Butterworth, of the borough of Ohio, to get aid from him in this direction, for the General said in his speech in Brooklyn on Monday night: "On the evening of the 2d of November a telegraph message will be anxiously awaited at the White House. President McKinley said to me night before last, 'Ben, you know how earnestly I feel in regard to the triumphs of the republican party in Greater New York.'" That puts the President in the most attractive light before the machine workers, for what could be more winning than this picture of him, laying his hand on the general's shoulder and calling him "Ben?" And what a glorious triumph it will be for the "republican party in Greater New York," if in consequence of Platt's exertions, the effort to give it honest government shall be defeated and the city turned over to Tammany Hall for four years! The picture of a President of the United States yearning for a triumph of this sort is one of the most extraordinary ever laid before the country.

Manchester Union—Mr. Edmund's monetary commission has agreed to retire the greenback. On this question we think Congress will retire Mr. Edmund's monetary commission.

Manchester Union—The late George M. Pullman was a striking example of a man who became very rich by knowing an opportunity when he saw it.

Waltham News—The patrician element over in Lexington oppose the proposed electric railway lest their blood suffer contamination with the plebian class from Waltham and other err—the objectors would be thought patricians—'twas only the other day they were clerking it, or following Dame Fortune in the bucket shops. The true patricians are the men and women in the humble walks of life who earn their living by honest toil and do not put on codfish airs. The others are upstarts.

Fall River Globe—General Coxey is travelling about Ohio in a private car. Undoubtedly Mark Hanna was sincere in insisting upon his nomination by the Populists and he means to leave no expense spared that will enable Coxey to draw from the democratic vote.

Lawrence Sun—The Carter Harrison gubernatorial boom has been launched by the democratic senators of Illinois. Henry Watterson's advice to the young mayor to keep in the right path and be President sometime, has evidently made an impression.

Lawrence Register—James F. Leonard is the safest man for the mayor-that he is the safest for the party and also for the interests involved in the campaign. Mr. Leonard is eminently a safe man.

Lawrence Eagle—Gentlemen of the City Council who are ambitious to figure as efficient legislators should make inquiries before offering ordinances and orders to see that there is no serious objection to them in point of law and fact. It is hardly worth while to pass an ordinance that would be in conflict with the law or the constitution of the state or of the United States. Lawmaking requires intelligence and care.

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THE FAMINE IN IRELAND

A Difference of Opinion as to It's Seriousness.

The Officials are Not Apprehensive—The Clergy Who Know Urge Relief Measures.

Dublin, Oct. 26.—There are two sides to the question of the famine in Ireland. One side is that of the government, which claims the famine is exploited by politicians as an argument against the administration of Ireland. The other side, held by many of the clergy, politicians and people, is that it is certain there will be great distress throughout

A meeting of Roman Catholic prelates was held at Maynooth last week, lates was held at Maynooth this week, and those present adopted resolutions that the archbishops and bishops of Ireland deemed it their duty to submit to the government a statement of their conviction, formed on the personal knowledge of several members of that body that the failure of the potato and cereal crops in many districts, particularly on the southern and western coasts, must lead to great distress and, unless speedy measures of relief are adopted, to disastrous consequences.

From delegates who were present at the convention of the Independents at Dublin last week, details of the situation were learned. The situation is particularly bad in the middle and west Cork districts, south of Ireland, from Macroon to the borders of Kerry, including two congested districts. Meetings are being held, the parish priests presiding, urging the government to start relief work before the people are actually suffering. The district of Bantry, where the greatest suffering occurred in 1817 and in 1879, is as bad as the Cork district. The potatoes are practically exhausted already. In mid Cork and along the southern coast there is not more than a quarter of the usual crop. It is said that a very small percentage of the farmers in this district have saved their potatoes, and those saved are reported to be so bad that when eaten they produce "Irish cholera," and are worthless as seeds. It is feared that the supply of food will be exhausted before the new year. The other crops are very bad and the laborers are in a worse condition than the farmers, because now that the crops are harvested they have no expectation of work until the spring.

The government officials insist upon keeping themselves fully informed regarding the conditions prevailing, and will be able, apparently, to cope with the distress; but they say they are unable to announce at this time what districts or how many people will be affected. J. B. Dougherty, assistant under secretary of state for Ireland, discussing the situation with a representative of the Associated Press, said there would undoubtedly be suffering; but, he remarked, the predictions of a famine similar to that of the year 1847 were the "merest rubbage." He added: "There are several counties on the west coast of Ireland where the people have had an exceedingly hard time to attain self support under the best conditions, and it requires but a small push to send them over the line, so that with a small falling off of the crops they will be obliged to accept aid. This will be the case in parts of the west coast. But two circumstances will prevent a recurrence of the famine in Ireland under any circumstances, namely, the increase of railroad facilities since 1848 and the fact that the people are no longer dependent entirely upon the potato crop. The truth is that part of Ireland is not sufficiently productive to support its people, and it is a question whether manufactures should not be taken to them, or whether they should not be taken to the manufactures of England, the United States or elsewhere, though I am not prepared to say which."

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The Rev. John Stoughton, D. D., a well-known Congregational minister and author of a number of religious works, is dead in London.

The coroner's jury, which has been inquiring into the death of Edward Langtry, the husband of Lily Langtry, the actress, has rendered a verdict of accidental death.

Five dead bodies, those of four men and one woman, were stolen from the morgue at Dunning, Ills., by men who forced open the doors. The bodies were those of the paupers of the county asylum.

The official figures of the registration in Harvard college up to the present time are as follows: Seniors, 337; juniors, 333; sophomores, 443; freshmen, 470; specials, 163; total, 1,796. This is a gain of 42 over last year.

The deficit arising from the relief of land taxation in France is to be met by taxing, in accordance with the law of 1872, foreign securities which hitherto have escaped taxation and by increasing the stamp duty on foreign government bonds.

Admiral Matthews, chief of the bureau of yards and docks, in his annual report to Secretary Long, recommends the construction of four new dry docks of the best type—concrete docks at Boston, Norfolk and Mare Island, and a steel floating dock at either Key West, Tortugas, or Algiers, La.

The most important Congregational council convened since the famous Beecher council in Brooklyn began its sessions in Chicago to consider the complaint of Dr. C. O. Brown, late of San Francisco, against the coast conference, which, he charges, injured and wronged him in suspending him without proper grounds and by improper methods after a council had acquitted him of charges of immorality.

ALLEGES LIBEL

B. D. O'CONNELL, ESQ., BRINGS SUIT AGAINST THE DAILY NEWS.

B. D. O'Connell, Esq., informs The Sun that he has sued the Daily News company for libel, consisting of the item published in last Wednesday's News, saying that Judge Lathrop decided that he could not practice in the courts and to John C. Burke, Esq., that Mr. O'Connell's clients must get other counsel. Last night Mr. O'Connell made the following statement to a reporter.

"Last Wednesday, I notified the News that the statement was utterly false and they took in and changed their bulletin but refused to change the item in the paper or retract. Both Mr. O'Connell and Mr. Burke say that Judge Lathrop never said a word about Mr. O'Connell's clients, and that there was absolutely no foundation for the story. A News reporter called Mr. Burke up by telephone on the day of publication and he referred them to Mr. O'Connell, but they never went to see him. Mr. O'Connell claims that not only is the publication untrue, but the conduct of the News people and their publication of items for the past two years, all of which Mr. O'Connell has saved, prove conclusively that they were actuated by malice and willingly made itself the organ of a well known enemy of Mr. O'Connell to vent his malice. The writ is for $10,000 and Deputy Sheriff Stiles was instructed to demand a bond, which if not given in 48 hours, as allowed by law, an attachment will be made. John C. Burke, Esq., will probably try the case. The writ is returnable the first Monday of December, 1897, and the case will undoubtedly be tried at the March term in this city.

20TH CENTURY MAIDS.

Lola Metllere the "French Venus," with Harry Morris' 20th Century Maids has a novel fad which she will exhibit while in the city next week. Diamond studded teeth, pearl toe-nails, and ankle bracelets having ceased to be novelties, the latest is diamond earrings for the finger nails. The tips of the nails on her left hand have been pierced and in them inserted tiny diamonds in the form of earrings, while on her fingers are a number of rings, chained to her bracelet, the chain being ornamented on the back of the hand by a huge pearl brooch. It gives a wonderful effect in the wealth of display. This great extravaganza company appears at Music Hall the last three nights of this week. The opening of the entertainments what is called a frothy frolic entitled "Century Widows," and the closing burlesque is entitled "Too Much Trilby."

TWO DISAPPEARANCES.

Two disappearances have been reported at the Salem police station, one of Daniel Mulac, of Water street, Beverly, who is alleged to have left home last Monday and left no information as to whither he was going.

The other was of Philip Tremblay, of Salem, a barber employed at Johnson's hair dressing establishment, who went away Thursday and from whom nothing has been heard. It was thought that Tremblay had gone to Lynn, but nothing certain was known as to his whereabouts.

TRAINING SCHOOL NOTES

Miss Gertrude Edmund, principal of the Training school, addressed the State Teachers' Association, held in Hartford, Conn., October 15, on "The Claims of the Children." In a report of the proceedings to the New York Press, the president of the Child study department, is quoted as saying "The most practical address before our association was given by Miss Gertrude Edmund of Lowell."

The Easton Herald says: "In the Pennsylvania Institute, which followed the Hartford Convention, Miss Edmund received an enthusiastic welcome. At the end of a five hours' session, Miss Edmund held the audience of 2000 teachers and students with marvelous power. She will soon be named among the first orators of our land."

GRAND CONCERT

WILL BE GIVEN BY THE EAST BOSTON CADET BAND.

One of the finest musical programs ever offered in Lowell will be presented in Huntington hall next Sunday evening. The East Boston Cadet Band, composed of sixty boys picked from fifty bands throughout New England, will make its initial appearance in this city. In this band are several members of the Cadet band of this city including John Hanlon, cornetist; John Gleason, trombone player; Edward and William Lonoey, clarinetists. The band will be under the direction of J. D. Record, the famous clarinetist, formerly of Sousa's band. The band has been equipped with a set of new instruments, of the international pitch, at a cost of $4000. This is the band that will accompany the great excursion to Ireland next May. There will also be vocal selections by a sextette that won great applause at last Sunday evening's concert. Little Olive Smith, formerly with Richard Mansfield and Richard Golden will appear, and M. T. Hurley of Boston, a well known humorist, will add to the evening's entertainment. T. F. Molloy, tenor soloist, James E. Donnelly, the favorite baritone, Miss Adelaide A. Sullivan, and Miss McLoughlin will also have numbers on the program. The concert will be under the auspices of St. Patrick's school.

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"Peace," says the pick, "till the coal mines are delled."
"Peace," says the hoarder, "until I've a store."
"Peace," says the spendthrift, "until I've no more."
"Peace," says the master, "I feed you with bread,
You are my servants until you are dead."

Thus do the tyrants hold sway in our land,
Dealing out death with a merciless hand.
Ask for protection, you're given a stone.
Ask for your rights, you are told you have none.
Thus are the servants kept under the lash,
Subjects of misrule and counted but trash.
Bow to superiors and cringe at their feet,
Prudence will dictate as wise and discreet.

God of the universe sees from on high
All things terrestrial that goeth awry.
In his good time will the wrong be made right
And your oppression arise and take flight.
Pray, then, have patience, forbearance and trust.
Strive with the demons of Mammon and lust,
Keeping the law. When election arrives,
Vote for your freedom, your homes and your lives.
—"Good Will" in Johnstown Democrat.

Why Is Action Not Taken?

The Journal of the Knights of Labor claims, what we have stated previously, that free coinage of silver is now the law of the United States. The law of 1830, which provided for such coinage, it states, was repealed in 1873, but re-enacted in 1878 with a now clause requiring the purchase and coinage of 2,000,000 to 4,000,000 ounces of silver per month. It was this clause and not the law of 1837, which was repealed in 1893, which also repealed the purchase clause of 1890. The Journal attributes the failure to act on this view to the fact that owners of silver bullion are also the largest gold and bond owners in the world, so that they benefit $10 by gold appreciation for every dollar lost by silver depreciation. But it is strange that others interested in silver mines and prominent silver advocates don't have the case brought to a test.—San Francisco Star.

Well, some of the prominent silver advocates have said that they thought "the enforcement of the free coinage law at this time would kill the political agitation for free silver."—Journal of the Knights of Labor.

When We Have Postal Banks.

The temporary return of prosperity among the wheat and produce farmers of this country caused by the failure of the foreign crops is looked upon by the speculating banks throughout the country as the approach of a great boom. These banks are beginning to make things a little better by investing depositors' money in various kinds of speculations. It will be a sorry day for depositors in these banks, however, should the government establish postal savings banks at the next session of congress. Should this be the case, everybody will be in a hurry to have their money deposited with the government, and these banks will find it mighty hard to meet their deposits upon demand. The days of the speculating banks will be short should the people succeed in establishing the postal savings bank where they can deposit with the government and know that it is safe.—Denver Road.

A Massachusetts Populist.

I make no apology for the action of our party in 1896. Mr. Bryan was worthy of the support we gave him then. He and others not in our party are teaching our principles today.

But between now and 1900 either William J. Bryan and his followers will degenerate into partisans and surrender to the conservatism which framed that financial plank in the Chicago platform or they will bring the Chicago platform up to Bryanism. Failing in that, their duty as patriotic political leaders is to be true to their political convictions and to align themselves with the party which fearlessly writes in its platform, "Money by law and no corporation credit to circulate as the currency of the people."—E. Gerry Brown.

Corporations and Their Tools.

Corporations that were to be servants and begged the privilege of supplying cities with conveniences or of serving the country at large have become masters. We have had 30 years of colorless politics, in which both of the political parties were simply conveniences for organized greed. There was nothing to arouse the deep slumbering patriotism of the masses, and a race of politicians came to the front, many of whom had no convictions, but straddled every proposition and then waited to be seduced. They were men who made every promise to the laborer and then betrayed him. These men became instruments through which the corporations worked.—Ex-Governor Altgeld.

The First Step.

There are hundreds of thousands of old Republicans who are right at heart, but who are influenced by party loyalty into clinging to an organization that has degenerated into a corrupt political machine engineered by venal and ambitious tricksters and demagogues.

The first step to take is to step out of the old organization. Throw off the party harness, take a free breath, look around you, study the situation and then be man enough to put your shoulder to the wheel and help build up another grand old party which shall do as much for the white slave as the old Republican party did for the negro slave.—S. F. Norton.

Who Make a Country?

For me the real making of one's country is done out of sight—in garrets and workshops and coal pits—by people who die every minute, forgotten, swept into heaps like autumn leaves, their lives mere soil and foothold for the generations that come after them.—Mrs. Humphry Ward.

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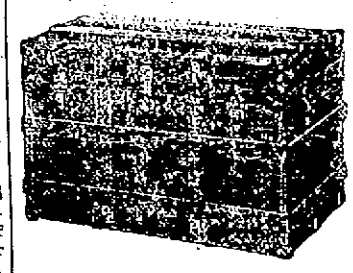

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A FEARFUL COAST STORM

Immense Amount of Damage on Eastern Coast.

Effect Felt as far South Virginia Peninsula.

New York, Oct. 26.—High tides and higher winds that drove the sea inland have caused an immense amount of damage along the Atlantic coast at nearby points during the past 24 hours. Many buildings erected on the sands at the summer resorts were knocked to pieces and carried out to sea, and coast liners have suffered much loss and delay by reason of the storm.

The highest tides in years, supplemented by the wind, which blew at the rate of from 35 to 90 miles an hour, prevailed yesterday, and when the high water reaches its maximum today even greater damage is expected unless the gale abates. From down the Long Island coast the heaviest damage is reported.

The greatest damage is reported from the lowlands in the vicinity of Edgemore, where the mammoth Edgemore hotel is threatened with destruction. Wind and seas have already destroyed about $35,000 worth of the hotel property, mostly in the shape of small buildings, walks, bathing pavilions and in washing away the grounds.

The fury of the storm and the great force of the waves could be well observed at the highlands of Navesink. One hundred and fifty feet of the top work of the government trestle connection at Sandy Hook was carried away. The big rocks, which weigh several tons, and which were placed to afford protection for the railroad in just such emergencies as this, were rolled about by the sea as though they were so many marbles. Many of them were lifted up and deposited upon the railroad tracks. The bulkheads were destroyed.

All the places along Staten Island sound reported high water and more or less flooding of the lowlands by the tides, but no great damage. The meadows below Elizabeth were all flooded. The meadows on Staten Island were also under water.

MOST SEVERE IN YEARS.

Atlantic City, N. J., Oct. 26.—The northeast storm is probably the most severe in many years. In point of high tides it has not been equalled, it is stated, since 1844. The damage done thus far does not equal that of the storm of 1889, but if it does not abate soon it promises to exceed it. The principal damage accomplished has been by the wind.

At the inlet a section of the yachtmen's wharf was carried away by the breakers pounding against it, as was also one end of John Mohrer's pavilion. Bolton Parsons' houses on Gramercy place, nearly completed, were blown over, while two brick houses owned by the Moore Bros. were laid low. The three railroad beds have been washed out for a considerable distance, thus shutting the city out of train service either way. The tracks of the Philadelphia and Reading were picked up by the surging waters and carried up against the telegraph poles, a distance of about 10 feet.

At Chelsea about six squares of board walk were washed away and several valuable bulkheads were wrecked. One in front of the Catholic convent was damaged to the extent of $500.

In the back part of the city houses bordering on the meadows are surrounded by water. The residents have to use top boots to reach their homes. The county court term had to be postponed because the judge and jurymen cannot leave the city, there being no trains out. The damage here is estimated at $15,000.

NEW BREAKWATER RUINED.

Newport News, Va., Oct. 26.—A terrific wind and rain storm swept across the Virginia peninsula Sunday. It commenced early in the day and is still raging. Much damage is said to have been done to the late crops in the outlying districts. The water is higher than it has been for years. The breakwater, which was recently built on the water front, is in ruins and the beach is strewn with the wrecks of small craft. The Y. M. C. A. bath houses are wrecked, a number of valuable pleasure boats were sunk, while others were washed to sea. Two lives are reported lost.

CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE.

Norfolk, Oct. 26.—A very severe storm swept over this section Sunday night, doing considerable damage in the city. All the lower parts of the city were flooded and street car traffic was suspended for a time to suburban points. Wires were down all over the city.

MANY ANIMALS DROWNED.

Wilmington, Del., Oct. 26.—The storm is raging fiercely at Bowers beach, Kent county. William Spencer and his wife are in the second story of their cottage, which is surrounded by water, and help cannot reach them. Many animals have been drowned. Several boats have been washed ashore and one vessel lies in the main street of the town.

NO RICHER THAN BEFORE.

Fall River, Mass., Oct. 26.—Two men of this city, John and Robert Cook, who left for the Yukon gold fields July 26, have returned to their homes with a tale of hardship and suffering. They were accompanied by two men named Tucker and Powell, whom they met at Boston. The party left Seattle Aug. 5 on the steamer Cleveland, and 27 days later arrived at Fort Yukon. Here they left the large number of gold seekers and pushed on toward Circle City. Finding nothing but starvation ahead, they returned to Fort Yukon and then set out for Mancok.

While prospecting, Tucker and Powell became separated. The Cook brothers later found the dead body of Tucker, who had died of starvation and exposure, and shortly after found Powell a raving maniac. They tell a story of exposure and starvation with exorbitant rates for everything. Large quantities of food were waiting at St. Michaels to be transported to the interior, while the steamers were carrying quantities of whisky. The brothers deny the report that large quantities of gold are being brought back, and insist that the stories are grossly exaggerated. They returned with $12 worth of gold.

RATHER DISCOURAGING REPORTS.

Madrid, Oct. 26.—A dispatch received from Havana has caused considerable stir in political circles. It declares that the opponents of autonomy are seeking to create difficulties for Marshal Blanco, who succeeds General Weyler as captain general of Cuba, adding that the situation in that island is the same as it was six months ago. The dispatch further says that the military operations of the Spaniards are suspended; that the troops are solely employed in guarding the railroads, and that it is estimated that 40,000 soldiers are on the sick list.

Finally, the dispatch asserts that the financial situation in Cuba is frightful; that commerce is paralyzed, and that the autonomist committee is not in accord with the members of the autonomist party.

SUICIDE OF A FAMILY.

Paris, Oct. 26.—A tilemaker named Guillout, his wife and four children have committed suicide by the use of charcoal fumes at Choisy-Le-Roy. Poverty was the cause of their self-destruction.

The United States embassy will make an application to the French government for the extradition of William R. Foster, Jr., who absconded from New York, Sept. 26, 1888, with, it is claimed, $193,000 belonging to the gratuity fund of the New York produce exchange and who was arrested at Neuilly last Saturday by the French police at the instance of Scotland yard detectives.

KILLED ON HIS FIRST TRIP.

Blackstone, Mass., Oct. 26.—J. T. Martz, a brakeman on the New England railroad, fell from a car at Woonsocket Junction yesterday afternoon and died later from his wounds. He had pulled a coupling pin to switch the car from the main line to a spur track and fell upon the track. His body blocked the wheels and he was pushed along for some distance. His injuries were of an internal nature about the abdomen. This was Martz's first trip on the road as a brakeman. He was a native of Harvard, N. B., and leaves a wife and four children.

FUGITIVE FROM JUSTICE.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 26.—Harry A. Cassin, ex-bank cashier, is a fugitive from justice. When his case was called in the superior criminal court yesterday he did not appear. Cassin was indicted last spring for embezzling $71,000 of the funds of the Georgia Loan, Savings and Banking company, of which he was cashier. He gave bond in $10,000, which was signed by F. M. Colker of this city, who, it is said, was indemnified against loss by the father-in-law of the young banker. It is said that Cassin is now in South Africa.

WHOLE NATION INSULTED.

Berlin, Oct. 26.—The refusal of the czar and czarina to receive the Grand Duke and Grand Duchess of Baden at Darmstadt after the latter had intimated to their Russian majesties a desire to visit them is vigorously criticised by the German press. The government issued orders forbidding the telegraphing of any comment on this subject, and its gravity may be judged when it is added that many of the German newspapers regard the occurrence as an insult to the whole nation, as the Grand Duchess of Baden is a daughter of Emperor William I.

BAR EXAMINERS SELECTED.

Boston, Oct. 26.—The members of the new state board of bar examiners, which was created by an act passed by the legislature, are Judge Henry S. Dewey of Boston, Jabez Fox of Cambridge, Milton Reed of Fall River, E. R. Pierce of Fitchburg and Fred L. Green of Greenfield. This board supersedes all the county boards in the state.

LEADER SHEEHAN'S ESTIMATE.

New York, Oct. 26.—John C. Sheehan, leader of Tammany hall, said yesterday: "I am confident that Van Wyck will poll at least 250,000 votes. Tracy is sure of second and I believe Low will be third. George will be a poor fourth—in fact he and Gleason will run pretty closely."

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WILLIAM'S RALLY

What the Democracy Proposes to do.

THE LAWS THAT SHOULD BE CHANGED AND HOW.

The Campaign Issues Ably Discussed.

Haverhill, Mass., Oct. 26.—Thomas Saunders presided at the Democratic rally Monday night, and members of the Democratic city committee occupied seats on the platform. Mr. O'Keefe was the first speaker and prefaced his remarks by stating that Haverhill was the first city last year that supported Mr. Williams' action at Chicago. "The party," he said, "will stand by the platform adopted at Chicago, as it stands more than any other for the rights of the common people. At no time in its history has the Democratic party been so free from corporate influence as it is today. No agent of any corporation, be he William C. Whitney or any other man, can dictate to it. It was early in the eighties that the late Governor Butler attempted to rescue the party from the power of corporations." This reference to Governor Butler called forth a storm of applause.

Mr. O'Keefe spoke on the injunction question, and said that men are now forbidden from walking in front of a factory where a strike is in progress by an edict of the supreme judicial court.

Mr. Williams followed with one of his characteristic speeches. He said: "No more insane, empty or meaningless platform was ever produced than that which came from the Republican convention of 1897. There is not a living issue in it that is worth considering, and with such a platform of air I am not surprised that the Republican speakers have all retired, fearing to stand upon it lest they should have a fall. The distinguished junior senator from Massachusetts has made an apology to the shoemakers of New England for what he acknowledges to be a sacrifice of their interests. The governor rose to make two statements: first, that the Republican party had gone too far in the appropriation of the people's money, and that therefore retrenchment was immediately necessary, and secondly, that the boards and commissions of the state to do the public business are all sufficient in number and should not be extended. Who knows what moth or caterpillar may crawl into the state next year and ask for an appropriation of half a million of dollars from the taxpayers?

"Now the Democracy proposes to place it in the power of the people to do two things; first, if petitioned by a certain number of persons to have any law passed by the legislature submitted to the approval of the people. Second, if the legislature refuses to pass laws which the people demand then a given number of citizens may frame legislation and demand that it be submitted to the people for their approval. These are the essential planks in the Massachusetts platform of 1897. The first in importance demands the restoration of silver to the coinage of the land at a ratio of 16 to 1. As we have justified our prophecies this year, so surely when the time comes next year will we justify them."

DEATH DUE TO DROWNING.

Calais, Me., Oct. 26.—There was thought to be some mystery connected with the finding of the body of Patrick O'Brien, a wealthy farmer, in the water of a brook at Chamcook, N. B., Sunday. On the report that a murder might have been committed, the attention of the coroner at St. Andrews, N. B., was secured.

It is generally believed that O'Brien met his death by accident while returning from St. Stephens, where he had sold a load of produce last Thursday. His horse probably ran away, throwing O'Brien out. The horse naturally went home, while O'Brien started to follow on foot. On the footpath on the bridge over the Waweig brook were loose planks, and it is supposed that he fell through and into the water below.

A searching party found O'Brien's hat on the bridge, and when they dragged the stream below the body was found. The coroner's inquest will probably clear up what mystery is supposed to surround the death.

PESTHOLE AT HAVANA.

Washington, Oct. 26.—In his last weekly report to Surgeon General Wyman, Sanitary Inspector Brunner, of the marine hospital service, reports seven deaths from starvation in Havana for the week ended Oct. 7, and 21 for the week ended Oct. 14. He also reports a rapid increase in intestinal disease owing to the contracted food supply, estimating that 2-5 of the deaths of the city are due to this cause.

Dr. Brunner calls attention to the place set aside for the country people sent to Havana which, he says, is a pesthole. After inspecting the building he said: "There were 500 people found in and around this building, and of that number over 200 were on the floor sick and dying. I saw no child under 10 years of age who could be considered in good health. They were invariably suffering from some form of enteritis or dysentery. The emaciation of their bodies was startling."

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VICTIMS ARE IDENTIFIED

Killed at the Great Railroad Catastrophe on Hudson River.

All But Three Bodies are Found—A Bride Who Prayed When Saved From Entombment.

Garrisons, N. Y., Oct. 26.—The complete list of the killed in the New York Central and Hudson River railroad wreck, and which the railroad officials believe include all of those who could possibly be lost, is as follows: Engineer John C. Foyle, East Albany; Fireman John O. Tompkins, East Albany; Samuel Williams, Buffalo; Thomas Riley, St. Louis; W. H. G. Myers, Tremont, N. Y.; A. G. McKay, Harlem; E. A. Green, Chicago; William Schenckenbecker, Newark, N. J.; Guiseppi Taguana, New York city; Mrs. Robert Lindsman, Utica; unknown woman; Chin Lee Song, San Francisco; Chin Fong Hop, brother of Chin Lee Song; Hoo Wuh, New York; Lee Tong Sing, New York; unknown Chinaman with a letter to Hop Sing of Newark, N. J.; Wong Gim, residence unknown; two unknown Chinamen.

The number is 19, and there is little doubt that this is the total list of the killed. The bodies of the engineer, fireman and Van Etten's secretary are yet in the river, with small hopes of their immediate recovery.

Tinge of the Dramatic.

The incidents and features of yesterday had a tinge of the dramatic around them, the contrasts of light and shade being somewhat remarkable. Had it not been that torrents of rain poured down all the afternoon the New York Central railroad people would have had an excursion upon their hands larger than any one for many years. As it was, trainload after trainload of curiosity seekers either landed at the stations near the point of the wreck and walked through the drenching rain to stand there and stare at the burning embers and mutilated cars, or else rode down on the trains to the vantage point.

There was a similar display of curiosity at Cold Spring, where the 16 dead bodies lay. Of those 16 dead, eight were heathen foreigners, whose names or residences meant scarcely anything to the general public, and yet six of these eight were identified and claimed long before any person had come forward to inquire or seek for two well-dressed and evidently very respectable white women, the only women killed in the wreck. In the morgue they lay unclaimed and unsought, evidently, while the other dead were claimed and taken care of. The 10 bodies that were held at Cold Spring for identification and the claim of the relatives were divided between the undertaking establishments of Mr. McKeel and McIlvary. All day long these places were besieged by crowds of the curious, but only those who might in any way establish the identity of the victims were admitted to look upon them.

One of the two women was identified last evening as Mrs. Mary Lindsman of Utica, N. Y. She was identified by her husband, Robert Lindsman, who said that his wife left home on Saturday night to go to Croton on a visit to her mother. Mr. and Mrs. Lindsman were married in August last. Mrs. Lindsman was 24 years old and was a good looking woman. Her husband was very much affected when he saw her dead body.

Searching For Three Bodies.

The wrecking company made another vigorous search for the bodies of the engineer and fireman and Superintendent Van Etten's clerk, Mr. McKay. When the diver came up he declared that it was his belief that the bodies were some distance away from the wrecked engine. He said: "The boiler and machinery of the engine lie out some 50 feet from shore, and the cowcatcher and front of the boiler are away down in the sand. The body of the engine left the tracks, for the trucks are within 25 feet of the shore and further up the stream. The tender broke away from the engine and lies partly turned over somewhat to the rear. The cab of the engine is badly smashed, but I could find no trace of any of the missing men, and I don't believe they are near the engine. I should say that if they did not jump, and it looks as if they did not have time, then the rush of water through the cab was so fierce that it fairly swept them out of it and drowned them. I would not be surprised if they are half a mile or a mile beyond the engine."

Still later in the day the diver went down again and began the work of fastening lines and tackle to the tender so that it can be raised. When this is accomplished the other parts will be brought up, and if the bodies of the three men are not found by that time the search will be abandoned, the theory being that the bodies will eventually come to the surface. Mr. Chapman of the wrecking company says that he would not be surprised to hear of them being found 10 miles from here.

But for a few burning embers and the twisted rails, it would be difficult to determine any signs of the wreck last night. Division Superintendant McCoy decided that none of the cars would ever be fit for use again, and that with the exceptions of the cushions there was nothing worth saving. The torch was applied to the day coach and combination smoker car and baggage car. The work of raising the sleeping coach Hermes proceeded slowly, and it was not until 1 o'clock that it was floated upon a transport. While being raised the trucks gave way and fell with a crash into the river. The car was towed down the river and deposited on the bank, where it was destroyed by fire. The last coach of the ill-fated train, the Niobe, was gotten out of the water at 5 o'clock and also burned. The express car is around the little knoll of the mountain, 300 yards below. No attempt was made to raise it until today.

CLOTHING MAN'S EXPERIENCE.

New York, Oct. 26.—Truman Parsons, the head of a clothing firm in this city, and who was thought to have been killed, told the following account of the scenes that followed the first crash and jerk that awoke the passengers. He was in the sleeping car Hermes: "I jumped and grabbed the bar over my head," said Mr. Parsons, "and hung to this bar for an instant until the car stopped its motion. Then I heard the swish and swirl of water. The air seemed to be full of splinters. The groaning and wailing and cries for help seemed to be on all sides. I began to think about getting out. I looked out into the car and saw that both ends were smashed into kindling wood. I looked up and saw a little bright light through a hole in the roof of the car. The car was half over on its side, and I made up my mind to try to get to that hole. I climbed toward it and found it was big enough to let me through. I climbed through and stepped upon the roof of the car. I was the first man out of my car. Then I started in to help others escape.

"I helped a bridal couple out first. The bride dropped on her knees and began praying. Then I saw a little woman hanging out of a window. I caught hold of her arms and pulled her through the window. She was covered with blood, resting on broken glass and in water up to her waist. She was the bravest woman I ever saw. She wanted to know if there were no others that I could help get out. I told her to let me get her out first, and presently she was standing on the roof with the others. I know I pulled four women out of that car, and soon there were a dozen or more of us standing on that car roof. We were all very scantily clad. We stood there for an instant, and then called to the people on shore to build a bridge so that we could get ashore. They did so out of the debris and we walked ashore. Then they brought us blankets, and I wrapped three of them around me. Then they turned the passengers all out of the sleepers that had remained on the track and put us in. I was counted among the injured, although I was not hurt much."

AN ABSURD STATEMENT.

New York, Oct. 26.—President Depew did not arrive at his office in the Grand Central depot until 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. He was given a statement printed in an afternoon paper to the effect that the company had for some time past been watching the place where the wreck occurred, well knowing its dangerous condition. "That is so absurd," said Mr. Depew, "that I hardly care to make any reply. We run the New York Central to make money. As its officials we ride over it almost daily in the same trains with the passengers. Now, does it seem likely that we are knowingly risking our own lives? The only way we can make money out of the road is to make it safer than any other, and we spare no expense to do this.

"I have wired the state railroad commissioners, asking them to come at once while the matter is fresh and make a thorough investigation. One of the commissioners was at the scene of the wreck Sunday, but I want to get all of them there."

BULLET IN HIS HEART.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 26.—A riot occurred in the mining village of Bredericks. A bad feeling had existed for some time between the proprietors of two boarding houses, John Bolitch and George Hornick. Filled with liquor, the partisans of Bolitch attacked Hornick's house with stones, axes and clubs. They had nearly demolished the building, when John Garvra fired from an upstairs window with a rifle, directly into the crowd. Stephen Murl, one of the attacking party, fell dead with a bullet in his heart. Charles Stoch was wounded in the side.

NO LOSS OF LIFE.

Warren, N. H., Oct. 26.—The Montreal day express going south had a head-on collision with a way freight train on the White mountain division of the Boston and Maine railroad yesterday afternoon. Although the rolling stock of both trains were considerably damaged the wreck was unattended by loss of life. The express consisted of a number of Canadian Pacific coaches and a through sleeper from St. Paul.

CAUSED BY AN EXPLOSION.

North Brookfield, Mass., Oct. 26.—The house and barn of Alvin Howe on the West Brookfield road were burned last evening. The fire followed the explosion of a lighted lantern in the barn. Four cows, two pigs, many hens and considerable feed and many farming implements were burned, but one horse was saved. The loss was $2200 and the insurance $1200.

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FESTIVE PARIS SENDS OUT ITS DICTUM.

How the Styles Are Being Fashioned in the French Metropolis—The Russians are Being Imitated.

Paris.—There are new confections galore here. I just saw a coat of green cloth, trimmed with astrakan, which had the wing sleeve and the coat (except the coat sleeve) lined with squirrel. Evidently Parisian furriers expect a cold winter; or is this lavish use of fur the result of the Russian furore? A fur coat is a necessity in snowy Russia.

Everything is Russian here. The moujik or Russian blouse distances all bodices in the race for popularity, and fur is being used with lavishness rare in our moderate climate. It should be a good time for furriers. Fur-lined coats came out last year, but they were of a more clumsy type than this year's smart models, and were less general.

A great deal of figured and faconne fabrics are to be worn. The tartan fever—always periodical here—has broken out afresh. It is singular what a love the true Parisienne has for tartan. A genuine tartan shawl—such as Highlanders drape across their manly forms—is as much prized by the average Parisienne as a genuine Indian shawl. She turns it into all sorts of pretty things. The latest is a wrap arranged in a draped style. Plaid dresses abound; plaid silks and velvets—for blouse bodices—promise to be quite as fashionable as they were a little while ago. On a graceful figure a black poult de sole skirt with blouse of plaid velvet forms an effective afternoon dress.

A great deal of velvet will be worn, plain and figured. The black velvet mantle, jet-trimmed, is always with us; but velvet dresses are to be much in vogue this winter. Few elderly and middle-aged ladies are refraining from ordering a black velvet gown. Parisiennes, let me add, often keep their figures into far advanced life; such are patronizing a very smart gown of the princess type, fur-edged, open below the waist to show a skirt of broche or plain silk—in some distinct color. It is wonderfully comme il faut. The gown is a useful one. It can be worn as a dinner gown at a pinch (with the help of a lace fichu), though it is principally made for day wear, and for visiting purposes. Brocles (silks) of large patterns are being adopted by elderly ladies, especially in black, or black combined with mauve or emerald green.

Walking dresses are being made more of cloth than of any other material. The beautiful face cloths are selected for the autumn, and they are made in very recherche style, qualified, however, with the simplicity that the many English tailors in Paris have taught our elegantes, by means of exquisite work.

Blue, red, and green cloths are the most prominent, grenat and prune pushing those favorite shades hard. The red prunes are less fashionable than the blue tones of the shade. Satin cloths and cashmere cloths are in favor. Another cloth, a novelty, which has a big future before it, is called here epingline. It is variously ribbed, sometimes having diagonal ribs, not up and down or from right to left. It can be had plain or fancy. In some the fine ribs match the ground; in others the ground is of a contrasting or a deeper shade; some are sprecklied with a tiny design, others—and these are the richest—present the aspect of an embroidered or brocaded fabric. The epinglines are made up into tailor gowns of excellent style. One exquisite model of beige ribbed epingline (two tones) has a tailor skirt of moderate cut, neatly stitched at the edge and seams. The little coat, a triumph of cut, fits neatly, with modest, easy basques and stitched seams. The fronts, fastening invisibly with hooks down the centre, has the breast seam running up to the shoulder seam closely stitched. From these two seams broad black braid is draped across the front, like brandenburghs, finishing in an olive of black passementerie and with mitred ends of braid.

AN ART DINNER GOWN.

Cut a seven-gore or foundation skirt in soft silk, not more than 3¾ yards at the lower edge. Line with muslin (not stiff), and edge with false silk hem. On this mount a bell skirt (6-7 yards at the lower edge, and very long at the back for a slight train) in Liberty printed silk muslin. Seam and hem the skirt apart from the foundation. Cut a bodice in lining (low), with front in three pieces fastening on the left. Fit, stitch and bone this bodice, except the side and shoulder strap seams. Then cover with soft Liberty silk (matching the pattern on the muslin) in three pieces—a back, a narrow left side, a double right side. Then drape two pieces of muslin from the left shoulder across the right hip. Stitch and finish the side and strap seams. The front drapery crosses the opening on the left and hooks on the right beneath a bow. This bow (with long ends) can be made of hemmed muslin or of one of the new fancy ribbons. Cut an elbow sleeve (fitting) in lining. Cover with a puff of muslin (half width) and a coat sleeve of embroidered silk. Edge with a hemmed flounce of silk or chiffon. Velvet can be substituted for the embroidered silk. Quantity of material required, silk (for bodice), double width, 1½ yards; muslin (for bodice and skirt), 8 yards. The foundation skirt must be trained like the muslin skirt.

HOW THE NOVEL SKIRT IS MADE.

The skirt foundation is cut on our seven gore pattern, measuring 4 yards. It is seamed and hemmed. On it is hung a seven-gore skirt of Liberty silk, cut long enough for a series of tiny tucks from waist to edge. The tucks flow out, and being very narrow, have a picturesque "corded" effect. This skirt must be seamed before the tucks are made. It is hemmed apart from the foundation, which it joins at waist, pocket and placket hole. Bodice lining of the usual shape, with double right front, so that the fronts hook together in the centre, the right front crossing to hook under the left arm. Fit, seam and bone the lining, except the side seams. Drape on the lining two pieces of accordion-pleated silk striped with lace. Re-tack, stitch and bone the side seams, after a final "try-on." Berthe of frilled silk. A coat sleeve lining is covered with a tucked sleeve of silk, all in one piece, with modified puff. Frills of silk form an epaulet. Bell and bows of velvet ribbon. Quantity of material required, silk (double width), 9 yards.

A NOVEL SKIRT.

Thousands of Egyptians live in old tombs, eating, sleeping, wooing, loving, laughing, dancing, singing, doing all their deeds of daily life and household work among the mummies and sarcophagi.

THE MOON AS A TWISTER

Can Sour Milk and Sour Faces Too.

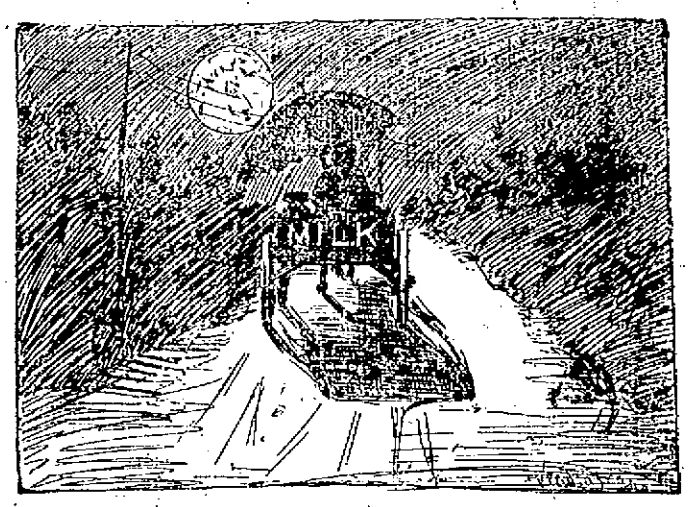
Whatever scientists say to the contrary, every sea captain knows that moonlight can twist a man's face out of shape if it shines on him while he sleeps. And that it will spoil food, too, much quicker than sunlight. One might as well tell him that a whale does not know when its trail is crossed, even when it is miles away. Whalers all know that, and if they can't explain it they are just as sure of it as they are that there is a rise and fall of tides.

Says an old tar, who has been in the Yokohama trade for twenty years:

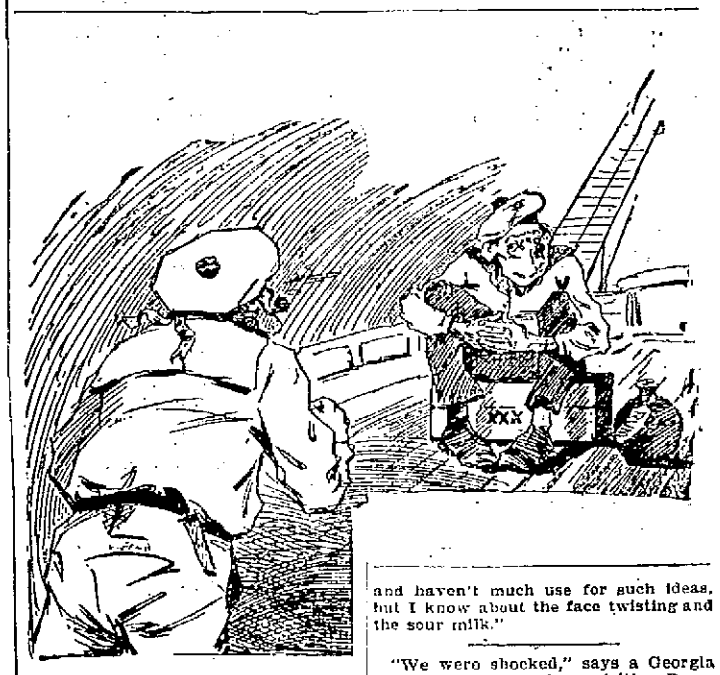
"Moonlight will sour milk, too, and quicker than sunlight, and it will spoil fish or pork quicker, too. City folk don't believe all this, but most farmers know it, and especially do those out on the plains.

"Every seafaring man has seen how moonlight acts. Down in the South, where I've been a good deal, they say if the moon shines on a new born baby it will have green eyes. They say the same thing in France, too. In England I've heard a proverb, 'No moon, no man,' meaning if a male babe is born between the old and the new moon it will never be old enough to be a father.

"Some say, too, that if an unbaptized child sleeps in the moonlight it will have no luck all its life. I've heard German peasants say, 'If you spit at the moon you'll lose your teeth.' Woodmen never will cut on a waning moon, nor will the women sew if they can help it, which all goes to show that the common people set much store of good or ill by the moon. I'm like most sailors and haven't much use for such ideas, but I know about the face twisting and the sour milk."



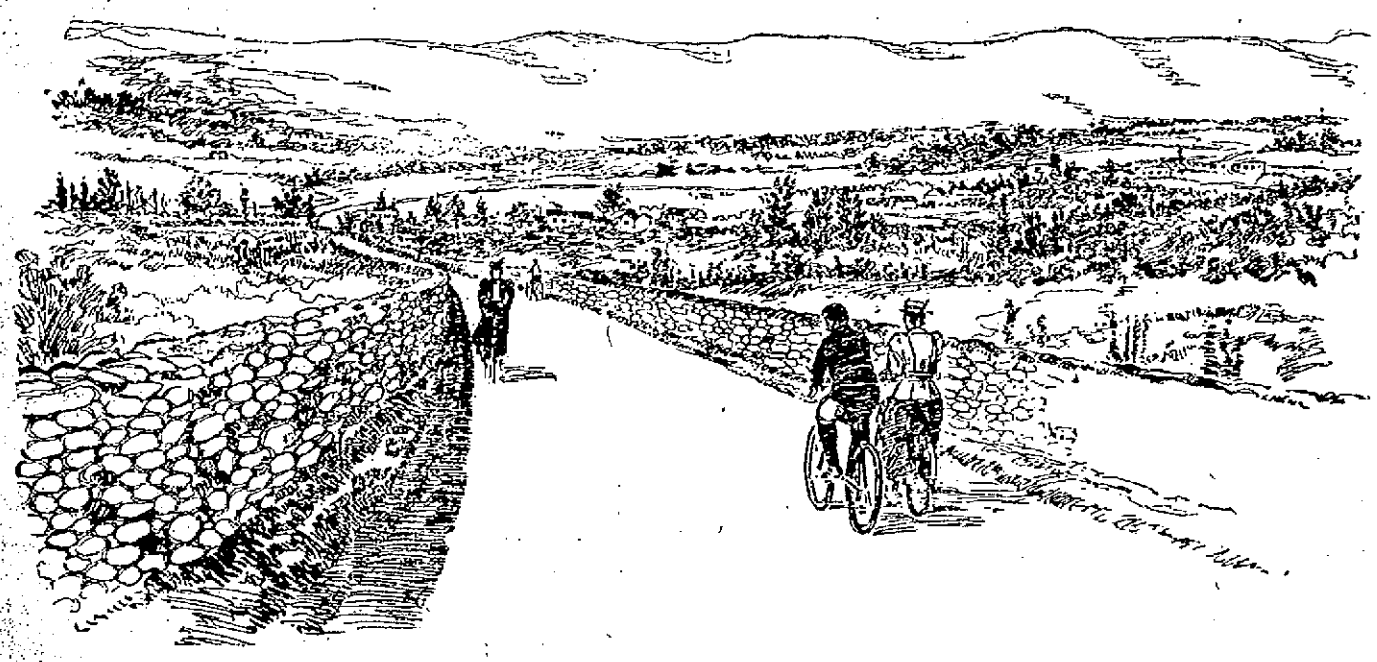
PROTECTING THE MILK FROM THE MOON.



HIS FACE TWISTED BY THE MOON

"We were shocked," says a Georgia editor who has just been visiting Rome "to see a city in such a state of decay. They doubtless had a big fire there years ago, and many of the finest buildings are still in ruins. Here at home we would have replaced those buildings in short order. Give us America for push and enterprise!"

CYCLING IN THE AZORES—A DELIGHTFUL CLIME.



It is a pretty broad statement to make, that the roads in the Azores, says a writer in the "American Wheelman," are the best in the world, but there is but one other place where the highways even approach them for good wheeling, combined with the other attractions that make bicycling what it has come to be. I shall not tell of that other place here, but I shall tell something of what one may find while wheeling round the Island of Fayal, and the greatest of all this is health and the knowledge of a supreme joy in living.

Starting from the little place of Infante d'Henrique, in front of the Grand Fayal Hotel, we pass through the main business street of the city of Horta. On the left is the curious old fort of Santa Cruz, facing the bay, and floating over it is the blue and white flag of Portugal. Sunning themselves on the stone benches are a few soldiers, whose most warlike duty it is to fire a salute when a gunboat calls for water or coal. Sometimes they walk up and down the parade on the street side of the fort in a sort of dignified imitation of real soldiers playing at guard duty, but they are not impressive. There are no battles to fight in these times, so why should the little handful of soldiers who keep up the garrison be required to do more than make believe?

The Government makes the roads of the natural volcanic rock, broken into little bits and rolled with a stone roller by hand. All along the sides, even out in the open country, there are gutters of carefully laid pebbles, and in more than one place these are beautified by fanciful designs made by working together the white and the black stones. And they do not seem to work at them much—just potter around, a little at a time—but the roads are perfect, and they are all over the islands.

And here, in this paradise of bicyclers, where one may live at the best hotel—and it is a good one, with the most spotless of linen and the very best of food—for sixty-five American cents a day—here, where Americans who live too rapidly may go and get a rest, and know what it is to live for a time beyond the pale of the everlasting grind, here in this place where it is a pleasure merely to get upon one's wheel for the very joy of having a perfect road under the tire, there is just one bicycle owned, a wheel of the vintage of 1891.

About one-half the distance between Seattle and Juneau, and lying close to the west coast of Alaska, is the Prince of Wales Island. It is about 200 miles long, and varies in width from ten to fifty miles. This island is heavily timbered, and is capable of cultivation. It has several lumber mills and fish canneries. It happens that there is not a strip of land throughout the vast Alaskan coast, nor within its boundaries, which bears the name of Seward, the statesman whose dream it was to annex this great land to the American Union, and whose persistence won the battle in 1867, eight years after the agitation of the subject of purchase began in the Buchanan Administration. Why should not this island, which bears the name of royalty, and of him who stands next akin to the greatest sovereign of the world, be changed to bear the name of William Henry Seward, the great Secretary of State during all of the Civil War?—Seattle Times.

The expression of the eye and the adjustment of the eyebrows show intensity and fixedness of thought and of purpose.

CHICAGO'S WOMAN STREET CLEANER.

First of all cities in the country to employ a woman as street-cleaning inspector is Chicago.

Long ago Mrs. Paul became convinced that the streets of Chicago, particularly the side streets, could be kept far cleaner, with no more expenditure of public money. In her domestic life Mrs. Paul is not the woman to sweep the dust into a pile under the sofa and leave it there. Much less would she undertake to clean the parlors and leave the kitchen, into which visitors seldom stray, a mass of filth. And now that she is in the employ of the city Street Cleaning Department she will tolerate nothing which would be abhorrent to her as a clean and orderly housekeeper.

When Mrs. Paul began to inquire into the Chicago methods of street cleaning she found that all of the rottenness was not on the streets. Neither were the contractors in the business for their health, or for the health of other citizens. They were on the make, and they got just as much money from the city if the streets were half cleaned as they would have got had their work been done honestly.

Mrs. Paul went into this work not without experience. She was a volunteer inspector for a long time, a hideous nightmare to the official inspectors and to the lowly men who are paid for doing the sweeping and shoveling. Commissioner McGann heard about her, as she had planned that he would, and she tried the civil service examination, passing with honor, and was placed at the head of the list. Now she has got her appointment and men and material have been given to her with which she will start on the worst district of the city.

THE STORY TELLER

AN IMPORTANT QUESTION.

Dear heaven's latest gift to me,
My baby, lay upon my knee,
A little son, the second gift
Which heaven had sent my heart to lift
In gratitude that to my care
He deigned another soul to spare.
"Now have I two to love!" cried I
And smiled to think how by and by
My baby's sister, the wee maid
Who for three years had daily played
The part of queen among us all,
Would come so gayly at my call
And welcome with a laugh of joy
Her first look at our baby boy.

She came, and, standing by me there,
She viewed him with a wondering stare.
Then, turning anxious gaze on me,
"Did he bring his mother?" questioned she.

—Harper's Bazar.

HIS FIRST WIFE.

Cynthia regarded the flashing little circlet with evident delight. It was one of the many that sparkled on her delicate white hand, but it bore a significance beyond the others. It meant the clipping of butterfly wings; the waning of the homage due to a beautiful and marriageable heiress, and which, though often made the subject of scornful wit, was ever accepted and acceptable. It meant the ratification of a sweet and binding contract with the chosen one—the man to whom wealth was no object and rank no allurement, and, for that reason, it dazzled eyes familiar with the radiance of gems.

The fingers that had just bestowed the gift still clasped hers with tender pressure, and, for the first time, she noticed their single ornament—an oddly shaped gold ring, that found fault in her fastidious eyes.

"Why do you wear this?" she asked, with a curl of the lip.

"Because I value it," replied her lover, secretly resenting the little sneer.

Her curiosity was roused. Though she felt that for some reason he would prefer not to talk about it, she persisted.

"Did you buy it?"

"No. It was given to me."

"By a friend?"

"By the best friend I ever had."

The laconic replies annoyed her. She dropped his hand, saying, "Well, I don't admire it."

He accepted the dismissal of the subject without a word, and the conversation drifted into another channel—one of the winding tributaries of love. Future plans were discussed, and dates were fixed, to a running accompaniment of jest and laughter.

Suddenly the ring caught her careless glance again.

"There!" she said, pointing to it impatiently. "It fascinates me. I am sure it has a history. Tell me."

She spoke as one who is used to command and certain of compliance. Leaning back she closed her eyes languidly and waited.

"Go on," she said at last with some surprise.

And, still he hesitated.

"It is a sad one. You would not care to know it," he said finally.

She sat erect, intensely curious.

"Indeed I would, now that you are so mysterious. Does it contain poison? Is it a Masonic symbol, or perhaps some weird sign of witchery?"

For once her gayety jarred on him, and he was unable to answer in the same bantering strain.

"My dear," he said, "it was given to me by one who is dead."

She was momentarily silent, then began again:

"I have never noticed it before."

"And yet I always wear it."

"Why?"

"Ah, Cynthia, you asked me that once. Because I value it more than anything I possess."

"Well, I will give you one quite as quaint and with an original inscription. Will you wear it for me?"

Her pretty eagerness made him smile.

"Of course I will."

She flushed a little. "I mean, will you wear it instead of this?"

"No. I cannot promise that."

His answer startled her. It was so grave and resolute. She renewed the attack: "But, don't you see, if I give it to you, it would be your most precious possession. Don't you care for me better than any one in the world?"

He drew her to him fondly.

"Yes. I can answer that with truth, but you would not have me break my promise?"

"What promise?"

"I vowed to wear it as long as I live. If it be possible, it shall be buried with me."

"The dying have no right to extort such promises from the living," she remarked sententiously. "Your friend was extremely selfish."

"Oh, Cynthia, she was an angel!"

There was more sorrow than anger in the tone. He did not look for much depth of feeling in Cynthia. She had been too spoiled. It was his task to bring out the lovable points in her nature that her luxurious life had left undeveloped and in which his love dimmed eyes had foreseen great and noble possibilities.

"She was—your first wife?" asked Cynthia slowly, and showing no disposition to retract her former opinion.

"Yes. The ring had been in her family for many generations. She considered it a kind of talisman, and wore it always, till, dying, she bequeathed it to me. There is my story."

"It seems impossible that you can fail me in so small a sacrifice," she rejoined, with a bitter little laugh. "Still, you see, such things may happen."

Her air of calm resolution was maddening, yet he felt instinctively that no word of reproach or anger would help. Assent was dishonorable, denial was difficult. There was no way out of the dilemma.

"A little time," he pleaded.

"Till tonight," she said hurriedly. "You must let me know your decision by then. Remember, nothing can alter mine. I only claim my right. But," she added persuasively, "you can easily decide now. Let me have my way. Ah do, and end our first and last quarrel!"

There was a subtle fondness in her tone, an undefinable power in her swift upward glance that swayed his wavering heart, but the golden token on his finger pressed him under her clinging hand, and he shook his head.

"No, dear, such a vow is not to be lightly broken. I must earnestly consider your request. I wish you had asked me anything but this," he went on wistfully, seeking sympathy in her soft, dark eyes.

But Cynthia's tenderness had vanished. She drew back piqued, ill at ease, in her suppliant attitude, an ominous frown darkening her fair forehead as she turned away.

"As you will," she said coldly.

Memories that Cynthia's presence had chased for many months crowded vividly into the widower's mind as he strolled on, heedless of din or traffic or the direction to be pursued. Her words of anger and opposition had invested the ring he had almost grown to regard with the unthinking gaze of custom with new and startling significance. It simply riveted him to the past. He might discard it, still holding its purpose in his heart, but the thought was a base one. He knew that his dead wife would have borne such a vow to the gates of heaven, and that no sacrifice would have strained the strength and endurance of the love which he dared not weigh with Cynthia's impulsive passion. He had hardly dwelt on it since she had been taken from him—at first because it meant hopeless heartache, bitterly because it seemed disloyal to his betrothed, but now at this turning point he realized his loss afresh and wondered that the remembrance had faded ever so little in the radiance of Cynthia's smiles.

Yet allegiance to the beloved dead meant the facing of the old homeless life, the return of that morbid depression which Cynthia's infectious gayety and pretty, petulant ways alone had power to dispel.

He had walked on, dreaming, far beyond his original destination—the cozy set of rooms presided over by his faithful valet. Suddenly he stopped with an involuntary exclamation, for he stood at the very threshold of his old home. What impulse had led his unconscious footsteps along the often traversed road he knew not or how he came to look upon the house he shunned since the day of mourning, but having come he was glad, for the wrench of parting was not the present pain. He was able to recall the grim old mansion's joyful as well as sorrowful associations. For the first time since his bereavement he felt the desire and strength to see the room within that had been hers, unaltered as she had left it, till Cynthia, resolute in her banishment of rivaling recollection, should carelessly scatter and rearrange.

The old housekeeper started from her lethargy of idle caretaking, answered his summons with clumsy alacrity and soon he stood at the bedside where some years ago he had flung himself in an agony of grief and sobbed out a last farewell.

A melancholy light struggled through the curtained window. The knickknacks they had purchased together in odd corners of the world, the pictures she had chosen, her favorite chair, the couch on which she had lain to please him, with a thought of recovery, he saw through a mist of tears, for a gnawing hunger had crept into his heart in the chill and utter loneliness of the room once brightened by her dear presence. How happy they had been! There was no death for such a love as theirs. It walked and throbbed in him again in this room, where she had breathed out her blameless life, and what had come between them seemed to him like a dream.

Cynthia was right. He must always be making useless comparisons, for something must ever be wanting in his life, something that never could be replaced.

His brimming eyes sought the spot where the coffin rested. He could see her now, lying there, as she had looked for the last time, white and serene, her folded hands full of flowers, the eyes that had reflected his loving gaze pitilessly sealed! A strange smile on the lips that often met his in yielding sweetness. Ah, if he might hear that low and gentle voice again, if he might pillow that weary, golden head on his breast, and, asking forgiveness for a fleeting fancy, repeat his vow with all the fervor of the past!

He sat down, hiding his face in his hands. With the reopening of this unhealed wound came a revulsion of feeling, reproach for the self sought forgetfulness his want of fortitude had made desirable, remorse for the shrinking from pain that made him swerve from so dear a memory and for the wrong he did Cynthia in clinging to it.

But he hesitated no longer. The silent hour of retrospect had brought him very near to his first love, and with the bitter ache of longing came a strange sense of security and rest.

Unchanged she awaited him, fair and lovely as he had known her, this dear angel, speaking through the silence of heaven, to hold him to his vow.

For Cynthia he had no fears. That she had been able to make their engagement conditional on this breach of trust led him to hope its dissolution would cause her little suffering.

A parting pang assailed him as he penned the brief message of farewell, a dread of the creeping, gloomy years beyond which his brightest hope beckoned, but he lifted the talisman that wedded him to his dead bride, pressing it softly to his lips, and the shadow fled.

Cynthia crushed the note in her hand. She was hurt. She was indignant. She was scornful. A hundred sensations, mingled with no thoughts of surrender, struggled for mastery in her breast.

But the faint, unconfessed regret that struggled beneath the angry tumult, the feeling that lies so deep in some souls that only agony may wring it forth, the deadened wailing of love that will not be stilled—these were among the bitterest tears she shed.—Hilda Newman in Madame.

Time to Look Out For Himself.

"Gentlemen," said Congressman Grabbitt, rising to address a committee of admiring constituents who had waited upon him to urge him to become a candidate for a third term, "I am not using a mere form of words when I assure you that this is the proudest moment of my life. To have served my district for nearly four years in the congress of the United States in such a manner as to merit the encomiums you have seen fit to pass upon me this evening is an honor that any man might well be proud to wear. If I have not done my whole duty, gentlemen, the error has been of the head and not of the heart. I have striven at least to earn your approval, and the flattering words your spokesman has addressed to me convince me that my efforts have not been wholly in vain."

At this point he stopped to take a drink of water and his auditors loudly applauded.

"You come to me, gentlemen," he resumed, "with an assurance that amounts practically to a re-election. But, gentlemen, there is another thing to be taken into consideration. I am a poor man."

Here his voice became tremulous.

"I have reached middle age, gentlemen," he went on, "without having accumulated more than a bare competence. Highly as I should prize the honor of representing you once again in the lower house of congress I cannot afford to stand in my own light. My mind, gentlemen, is made up. I cannot be your candidate for congress because"—and here his voice sank to a whisper—"I have got my pipes all laid for running for alderman of the Steenth ward. I've counted noses and I'm going to be elected by the dad-dingedest majority any galoot ever got in this town!"

Congressman Grabbitt wiped the perspiration from his forehead and spoke in his natural tone.

"Gentlemen," he said, "I thank you from the bottom of my heart for this mark of your confidence and esteem. What'll you take?"—Chicago Tribune.

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In furnishing goods and clothing the store of O'Hearn & Dowd is in the van and the public will find a large and pleasing assortment.

People are warned against a $10 bill raised from $2 which is circulating in this city. Just look carefully at any $10 note which may come into your possession.

There will be a grand Pearson rally by the voters of Ward 7, Tuesday, Oct. 26, at 7.45 p. m. in Fletcher street engine house. All cordially invited.

Elegance without extravangance is easily made possible if one's buying is properly directed. J. L. Chalifoux's store has been the Mecca of thousands of economical buyers for years, and it is today more than ever the place par excellence where economy and elegance go hand in hand.

It was reported Saturday that another dog fight was to take place somewhere in the vicinity of this city on Saturday night or Sunday morning. Agent Richardson of the Humane society heard it and went out hunting for the sports. He thinks now that the fight couldn't have occurred, as he couldn't find any traces of it.

The Estey company, 145 Merrimack street are feeling quite happy over the amount of Pianos which they keep moving and attribute this business to the low prices and easy terms which they are offering the public. The prices have dropped and other dealers have got to come to it, as the public will not pay $400 for Pianos when the Estey company can sell you one for $275, just as good. They have the goods and prices must move them at once.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. George A. Hill has taken one of the Costello cottages on Nesmith

Mrs. T. G. Tweed, Miss Brenda Tweed and Mr. Gordon Tweed, will spend the winter in South Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Wood are now at home at 3 Myrtle street. They have been living at 47 Grace street.

Mr. James Bayles is under Dr. Carolin's care at St. John's hospital. His condition is somewhat improved since his removal there.

Ex-Lieut. Frank I. Costello is in Seattle and will go to the Klondike in the spring. He writes that it impossible to secure work in Seattle.

Miss Mary Wight of Mansur street has rented her house to Captain Rose of the J. C. Ayer company and will live with Mrs. Williams of Nesmith street.

W. E. Stetson entertained a number of people at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Warren of Worthen street n Saturday night with a talk on California.

Miss May Harris, and her friend, Miss Darling, of East Burke, Vermont, are staying for a few days with Miss Harris' cousin, Mrs. R. S. Holt of French street.

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For sale, cheap, on easy terms, located on D street, near the Shaw Stocking company, on high and dry land, with good sewerage, convenient to schools, churches, and two lines of street cars, piped for gas and water; five cottage houses and one two-tenement house. These houses have all modern improvements and are suitably arranged for families. Part of these houses have just been completed and the rest will be finished, ready for occupancy in a very short time.

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Anyone desiring to go through these houses and inquire terms and prices, call on J. W. Bennett, the owner, at 561 Middlesex street.

DENTIST

TRIBUTES OF LOVE

To the Memory of Laurence J. Smith.

THE SUPREME CHIEF RANGER, SHAW IN TOWN.

He Speaks Words of Sadness and Sorrow.

The Foresters of Lowell had a monster meeting in Foresters' hall last night and took appropriate action on the death of Past Supreme Chief Ranger L. J. Smith. Supreme Chief Ranger Joshua Shaw of New York presided.

James F. Miskella presented the following resolutions, which were adopted:

When men whose abilities, services and devotion to a cause have transcended those of their fellows in a marked degree, pass from the scene of their earthly labors, it is fitting that their surviving associates should take care that the transcendental qualities of the dead should be recorded not only in the hearts of men, but in a form which shall endure and which shall serve to excite the emulation of those who follow.

Whereas, the Chief Ranger of the Universe, in His wisdom, has called from our Forestic circle, our dearly beloved brother, Laurence J. Smith, who for many years had walked with us, hand in hand, through the forest of this life; be it

Resolved: That while we bow in humble submission to His will, we feel that by his death, our order has lost its noblest son and each member thereof, a brother, steadfast and true.

Resolved: That our heartfelt sympathy be tendered to his widow and children in this, their hour of affliction. May the knowledge of his honest, upright life, spent in doing good to others, bring them peace and comfort.

Resolved: In memoriam, that we, the Lowell Foresters of America, attend his funeral; that our hall be draped in mourning and a copy of these resolutions be sent to his bereaved family. Lowell Foresters of America, by James F. Miskella, William A. Hogan, James J. Gallagher, John E. Maguire, Edward F. Slattery.

Supreme Recording Secretary William A. Hogan was then called to preside during the remainder of the meeting.

"Brothers," said he, "We meet here tonight on a sad occasion. One that has caled together the supreme officers, the officers of the Grand Court, and hundreds of the members of the Lowell Foresters of America."

Supreme Chief Ranger Joshua Shaw of New York was then introduced and spoke in part as follows:

Brother Foresters—This is indeed a sad moment. It is especially sad for me on my first visit to your city. I am thankful, however, for myself and my colleagues that we have had the opportunity to come and pay our last respects to one of the most noble Foresters I ever met with in the order. He was a man who inspired one with a feeling of deepest desire to follow his example. He was a man of rare dignity and virtue. If we could feel that we had attained the qualities he possessed, we should feel that we had attained to a proud position.

"At some future time I hope to be able to meet you all, but under more cheerful circumstances. I simply came to pay my most humble tribute to the noblest Forester we ever numbered in our ranks."

Supreme Secretary E. M. McMurtry was then introduced and spoke with much feeling. He said in part:

"I hardly expected to return to Lowell in such a short time, especially to find the one man to whom my affections went out more than any other man not related to me in blood ties, cold in death.

"I would like to say more to you than I shall be able to, as it is impossible for me to control my emotions. But they say silence is golden, and that the greatest grief does not always find vent in expression."

Supreme Senior Woodward James Smith of Connecticut, was then presented and he said that he came to atetnd the funeral and to bring the Foresters of Lowell the condolence of the Foresters of Connecticut.

He said he was not so well acquainted with the deceased as the Lowell Foresters were, but that he knew him sufficiently well to know that a more honest or better man never breathed the breath of life.

"The more one knew of the deceased the better one liked him. I sincerely regret that my first visit to Massachusetts is on such an occasion. I assure you that while we know you are sorrowful, we all feel it."

The supporters of Hon. Fisher H. Pearson will hold a rally in the Branch street ward room this evening at 8 o'clock. Hon. Fisher H. Pearson, James F. Owens, Dennis J. Murphy, Thomas H. Muldoon and John J. Burns will address the meeting.

CITY FARM FIRE.

A portion of the fire department was called by telephone to a fire at the City Farm Monday. The blaze was located in the old carpenter shop over the piggery, but outside of the burning of the roof little damage was done. The fire is thought to have been either the result of a defective chimney or the work of an incendiary.

SCHRADER, DIVINE HEALER.

Now in Lowell to heal the sick again. Thousands have been cured here in Lowell. Just come from the West. He is now located at 59 Tyler street. Come at once before the thousands who will call again.

The Ward Seven Pearson rally to be held this evening in the Fletcher street ward room, will be addressed by Hon. John Welch, Hon. Fisher H. Pearson, Thomas H. Muldoon and J. E. Venne.

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His Entire Diocese is in Infected District.

Rt. Rev. Edward P. Allen, D.D., formerly of Lowell, who was recently raised to the bishopric of Mobile, Ala., has begun the performance of his diocesan duties under most inauspicious circumstances, which would discourage anyone but a man of such zeal and courage possessed by him.

The diocese of Mobile includes the entire state of Alabama and the northern portion of Florida, and while the territory is great, the population is not great in proportion; and for the most part, the people are in great need of both spiritual and temporal aid.

When Bishop Allen was appointed, he proceeded at once to his new field of labor and was formally installed. Then he proceeded northward for a much needed rest.

While on his way to the North, Bishop Allen heard that the dread disease, yellow fever, had broken out among his new charges, and like the true priest he immediately abandoned the idea of seeking rest and turned his face toward the suffering South. Bishop Allen's destination was Mobile, but on arriving he was denied entrance to the city on account of the establishment of quarantine. Not disheartened, however, he decided that he could accomplish more good by visiting the outlying infected districts and such is at present his work, going about untiringly from place to place, giving his faithful priests and their afflicted parishioners all the aid in his power.

The quarantine in the infected cities is very rigid, as, of course, is absolutely necessary, and when a stranger seeks entrance to a city or town, he is submitted to a very strict cross-examination, irrespective of his calling or position in life.

When Bishop Allen arrived at the city of Montgomery, he was confronted by a printed set of questions, a copy of which is as follows:

Questions proposed under the provisions of "An Ordinance to provide for the efficient enforcement of a quarantine" adopted by the City Council of Montgomery.

Any person refusing to answer these questions, or making untrue answers, or refusing to subscribe on oath to them when desired, is guilty of a misdemeanor and may be fined not less than $50 or more than $100, and also forbidden to enter the city or remain there.

1. At what station did you get on this train?

Answer ....

2. Have you been in Mobile, New Orleans, Pontchartrain Junction, Michcaud, Chef Menteur, Rigolets, Look Out, Waveland, St. Louis, Pass Christian, Beauvoir, Biloxi, Ocean Springs, West Pascagoula, Scranton, Moss Point, Perkinston, Barclay, Brantly, Edwards, Atlanta, Ga., Cairo, Ill., state of Mississippi, or any other place infected with Yellow Fever within the last twenty days, and if so, in which place?

3. When was the last time you were in either of said places? How long were you there?

4. Have you, or anyone travelling in your charge been in either of the above places in the last twenty days?

5. Have you, to your knowledge, been exposed to Yellow Fever in the past twenty days?

6. Where have you been in the past thirty days?

7. Where are you going to stop in the city of Montgomery or destination?

I, ... do solemnly swear that the answers to the foregoing questions are true, SO HELP ME GOD!

Sworn and subscribed to before me this .... day of .... 1897.

—T. F. Leak,
Quarantine Officer.

Each person must answer these questions, and then if his answers are not satisfactory to the quarantine officer, he is put aboard a train immediately and sent away, probably to be driven away again at the next stopping place. Should the answers show that the applicant is a safe person to admit to the city, he is allowed to remain within the city limits. Upon leaving, the city or upon leaving a city not infected, one is given a certificate by the Board of Health, showing his freedom from disease.

Bishop Allen is much pleased with the work of the clergymen in his charge under the trying circumstances and looks hopefully forward to a cessation of the scourge in the near future. The people in the infected districts are all praying for a killing frost, which is expected to drive out the germs of the disease. All letters sent out from the district are fumigated, including those coming to Lowell, which are punched with several holes.

UNIQUE HOTEL PROJECT.

Costly Structure In New York, With Steam Yacht and Coaches For Guests.

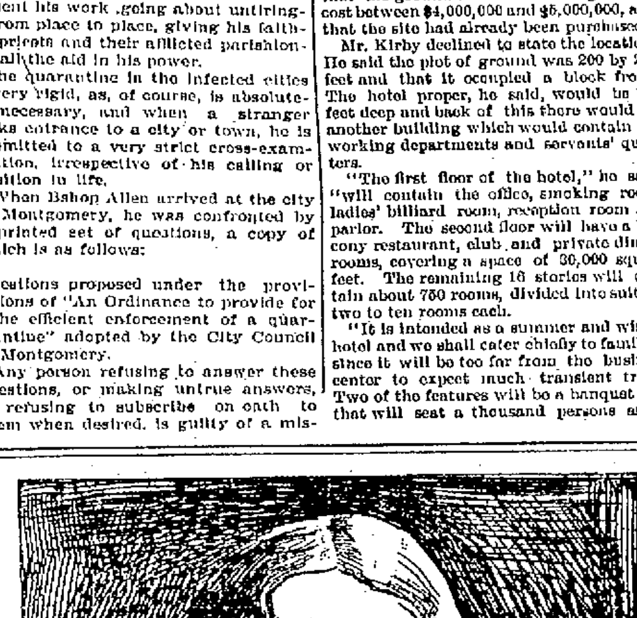
Eugene Kirby of the Sherman Square hotel in New York said recently that a syndicate of English and New York capitalists had been formed to build an 18 story hotel somewhere in the upper part of Riverside drive in New York. He said that the ground and the buildings would cost between $4,000,000 and $5,000,000, and that the site had already been purchased.

Mr. Kirby declined to state the location. He said the plot of ground was 200 by 250 feet and that it occupied a block front. The hotel proper, he said, would be 160 feet deep and back of this there would be another building which would contain the working departments and servants' quarters.

"The first floor of the hotel," he said, "will contain the office, smoking room, ladies' billiard room, reception room and parlor. The second floor will have a balcony restaurant, club and private dining rooms, covering a space of 30,000 square feet. The remaining 16 stories will contain about 750 rooms, divided into suits of two to ten rooms each.

"It is intended as a summer and winter hotel and we shall cater chiefly to families, since it will be too far from the business center to expect much transient trade. Two of the features will be a banquet hall that will seat a thousand persons and a roof garden. The building will be of stone, brick and fireproofed wood. It will be patterned somewhat after the Hotel Cecil. So far as possible it will aim at the colonial style of architecture.

"We shall have our own market garden in New Jersey, from which we shall get many of our supplies. We shall have a line of tallyho coaches, which will make daily trips during pleasant weather in the northern suburbs of New York. In addition to this we shall have a steam yacht which will start from our own dock and make hourly trips, stopping at the principal docks in the lower part of the city for the accommodation of business men and shoppers."—New York Herald.



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KLONDIKE FOOD QUESTION.

Dr. Jackson Claims the Government Should Hasten the Use of Reindeer.

Dr. Sheldon Jackson, the government educational agent in Alaska, recently said that at the best the food supply above Fort Yukon will not last the miners longer than Jan. 1. He greatly regrets that the government did not prepare for the present emergency during summer by authorizing him to take 150 trained reindeer from Fort Clarence to St. Michael's, whence they could carry food to Dawson this winter, drawing 400 pounds each and making the trip in four to six weeks.

By next fall he expects to have 300 reindeer broken ready for use. Superintendent Kielleman of the reindeer stations is now en route to Tacoma with five Laplander drivers and their families, who are returning to Norway after three years' service in Alaska. Kielleman will accompany them and endeavor to engage ten more Lap drivers.

Mr. Jackson says that skilled drivers are essential to break and drive reindeer to the best advantage. Fifteen Eskimos have been trained as drivers and will render much assistance. Jackson's idea is that the government should sell reindeer at about $50 each to men who will engage in winter transportation. To use them economically, each train should number at least a hundred reindeer, each driver managing eight animals.

Jackson says that three years ago Yukon miners saved themselves from starvation by shooting several thousand wild reindeer, which abound between the Yukon and the Arctic ocean. He thinks this experience may be repeated this year.

In his opinion there will always be a winter food shortage on the Yukon, and the only way to materially lessen it will be for the government to hasten the general use of reindeer.—New York Journal.

Auction sale of household goods at 16 Belmont street, Friday, October 29, at 2 o'clock p. m.

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A TRAGEDY

PAULINE MARKHAM FIGURED IN A STAGE TRAGEDY, WHICH WILL BE RELATED IN TOMORROW'S SUN. SHE MADE $250,000 IN TEN YEARS AND GOT $100,000 IN PRESENTS.

SECOND EDITION

THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

The weather predictions for the ensuing twenty-four hours are as follows: Fair tonight and Wednesday, with variable winds.

ALMANAC, TUESDAY, OCT. 26.
Sun rise—6:11; sets, 4:45.
Length of day—10h. 34 m.
High water—11:08 a. m.; 11:37 p. m
Moon sets—4:49 . m.

THE CUBAN CAUSE

How the United States Aided Spain.

TELLING ARRAY OF FACTS IN THE CAUSE.

Spain's Threats are Not Feared Here.

Washington, Oct. 26.—It is not doubted among officials that the basis of the Spanish reply to Mr. Woodford's note will be the charge that the United States has not observed the requirements of international law in the matter of preventing filibustering. In this case the state department will have pertinent facts to present which, its officials believe, will completely alienate from Spain any sympathy that she may have attracted from other European nations on that score.

It is asserted that in no single case where the Spanish authorities have brought to the attention of our government the fact that an illegal expedition was about to start from our shores for Cuba has it neglected to use all the means permitted by our laws to prevent the start. It has been so indulgent in this respect as to accept statements from the Spanish officials not accompanied by proofs of the facts alleged, but mere suggestions that they had reason to believe that an expedition was forming. In cases our government has proceeded to lengths in restraint of American commerce on insufficient evidence furnished by the Spanish government that has resulted in the preference of large claims by American ship owners for illegal detention of their ships.

Then the expense of maintaining the patrols along the Atlantic and gulf coasts has been very heavy. Every time the state department has been obliged to call upon a collector at a port the result has been a heavy bill of expenses for tugs, special officers and other charges; while the attorney general's office and most of the executive departments have been put to more or less trouble and expense. The navy department especially has been embarrassed owing to the necessity for diverting vessels from other places for the disagreeable Florida patrol. One official roughly estimated the expense the United States has been put to to protect the Cuban coast for Spain at about $2,000,000. This is probably a large estimate, but a naval officer who is thoroughly cognizant of the strain put upon the department by the patrol stated that it would really be cheaper for the United States to send a fleet to Cuba and blockade the coast there against incoming filibusters than to try to stop them on our own extensive coast line.

Altogether the officials here are confident of their ability to show that the government has more than complied with the requirements of international law, which, as laid down in the Alabama arbitration, simply demand that a nation "use due diligence" to prevent the departure of hostile expeditions. On this phase of the case the correspondence may be kept alive between the state department and the Spanish government until congress meets, but it is expected that unless some results in the direction of the suggestions of Mr. Woodford are forthcoming by that time, the president will refer the entire matter to congress and await its orders.

FUNERALS.

POLSON—The funeral of James Polson who died at his home 76 Newhal street, at the age of 63, took place Sunday afternoon from the chapel in the Edson cemetery. Rev. L. C. Manchester officiated. The deceased was a veteran of the civil war and was a once well known musician and drummer, which position he filled in the old Sixth Regiment. He leaves a wife.

POLICE COURT—HADLEY, J.

Eight drunks, Carl Burtt received six months at the state farm.

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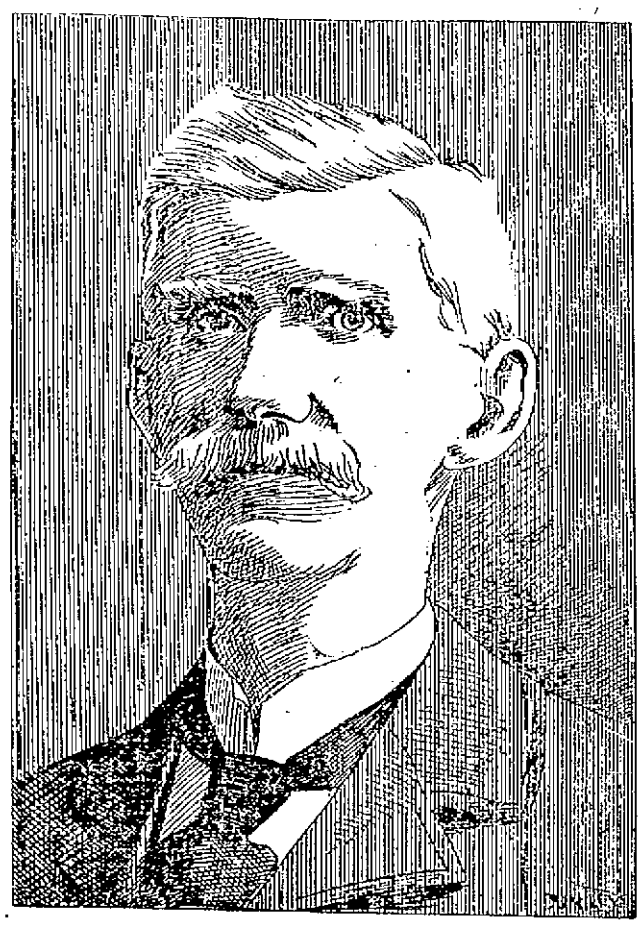
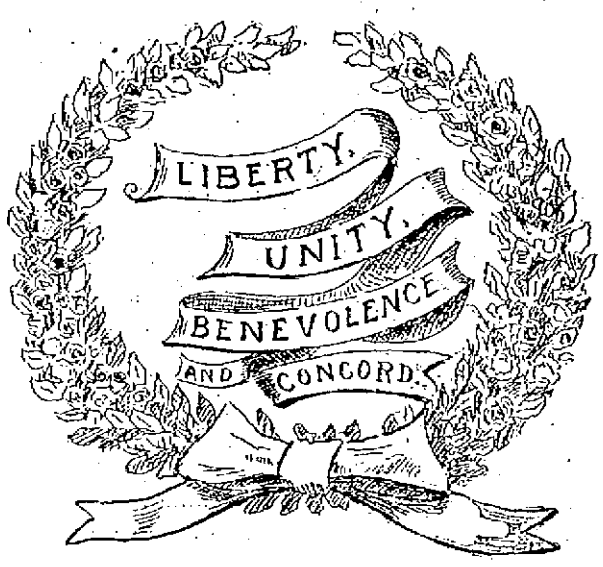
THE SOLEMN OBSEQUIES

Over the Bier of Laurence J. Smith This Morning.



LAURENCE J. SMITH, Born June 13, 1850; Died Oct. 23, 1897.



At the Immaculate Conception Church—A Vast Congregation Present—Most Beautiful Floral Tributes — Tender Tributes to the Memory of the Deceased.

This morning at 9 o'clock the funeral of the late Laurence J. Smith took place from the Immaculate Conception church and there was a very large congregation present to attest the love and esteem in which the deceased was held by his acquaintances here and elsewhere.

It seemed that fraternal orders without number vied with one another in honoring his memory, prominent among them being Foresters of America, the Knights of Sherwood Forest, Knights of Columbus, the Elks, the total abstinence societies, and various religious organizations, while the thousands who attended as individuals indicated how general and profound is the sorrow for the loss of the deceased, how heartfelt the sympathy for his bereaved family.

The funeral was late in starting. The Foresters did not reach the church till 9.15 and they were given seats in the right aisle. The Knights of Sherwood Forest, under command of John P. Boyers, marched to the house on Stackpole street, where the casket containing the remains was received. Carriages containing the friends had preceded the cortege to the church.

The Lowell Military band led the way to the church and played a solemn dirge. The Knights of Sherwood Forest in uniform acted as body guard and surrounded the hearse and the bearers who walked beside the hearse. Next came the widow of the deceased, accompanied by Dr. Thomas B. Smith, a nephew of the deceased and the two children, Thomas and Bridget Smith. Following them were the other mourners. No carriages were in the procession to the church. Around the church the street and sidewalks were black with people. As the casket was taken from the hearse, it was received by the pall bearers. While the band played Dow's beautiful hymn, "Come Unto Me" the solemn procession entered the Immaculate Conception church. Down the center aisle it moved slowly and from the choir came the notes of the sweet hymn, "Nearer, My God, To Thee," sung by a male quartette, Messrs. Haggerty, Faulkner, Boulger, and Martin. The church was literally packed with people. In the broad aisle with the bearers and mourners sat the Knights of Sherwood Forest. To the right were Foresters and representatives of other societies of which the deceased was a member. Many prominent people were noticed in the congregation. Four of the Sisters of St. John's hospital were present. Others there were John Faulkner, Harry R. Rice who were associated with him in the police board; Joseph Smith, clerk of the police board; J. L. Chalifoux, Alderman Peirce, Michael Corbett, Supt. Robert Thomas, T. P. Hall, Col. and Mrs. Henry of Monson, Marcellus Fletcher, Lawrence J. Cummings, T. J. Dowdof Nashua, Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Pratt, Chief and Mrs. B. S. Hosmer, Postmaster Pearson, Hon. Fisher H. Pearson and Hon. John E. Drury.

There was also a large delegation of letter carriers in the church. The solemn high requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. W. D. Joyce, O.M.I.,

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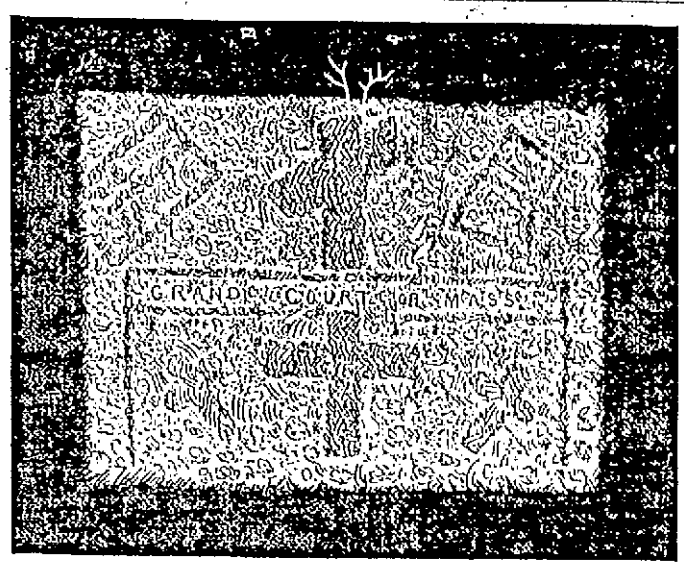

TRIBUTE FROM THE GRAND COURT, F. OF A.

SUN EXTRA

5 O'CLOCK.

A DESPERATE CRIMINAL

Kills Three Men at Gorham, N. H. This Morning.

And Threatens to Shoot a Fourth—Thomas Monaghan a Desperate Railroad Man Boasts When Arrested of Having Blood of Three Men on His Hands.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Gorham, N. H., Oct. 26.—Thomas Monahan, crazed with drink, shot Joseph Gauthier this morning, killing him instantly, and while trying to escape he shot Selectman Gates of Gorham in the neck fatally. Later another body was found which Monahan says he killed.

THE DETAILS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Gorham, N. H., Oct. 26.—Thomas Monahan, a dissolute railroad man, while crazed with drink shot and killed Joseph Gauthier, a coal man on the Grand Trunk road early this morning and also fatally shot Selectman Woodbury and Selectman Gates, who attempted to arrest him. The murderer boasted after his arrest that he had three bloods on his hands and searchers found the body of William Tholts of Shelburne shot in the abdomen and dead beside the track. Monahan between the time of killing Gauthier and shooting Gates had met a man on the tracks and compelled him at the point of a gun to walk around the village cemetery with hands up. He did not hurt him otherwise.

The murder of Gauthier was the result of a quarrel at midnight. Gauthier was asleep at 4.20 this morning when Monahan entered his shanty and fired, shooting him through the heart; then ran up the tracks, and encountered the man whom he walk once around the cemetery yard, and as he was proceeding further he was met by Sheriff Gates who attempted to arrest him. Without warning he discharged his gun full in his face tearing the jugular vein and terribly cutting his neck. He was arrested and the body of the other man was found later when he boasted of three bloods. He was tried this morning and held for the April term of the Superior court. The excitement was so intense that lynching was feared, so Sheriff Gates took him to Lancaster at eleven o'clock. Gates is hanging between life and death.

CORNER IN FLOUR

DAWSON CITY DEALERS HOLD UP THE STAFF OF LIFE.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Skagway, Alaska, Oct. 26.—There is a corner in flour in Dawson City and none can be had at any price. There is plenty in town, but the dealers have it stored and will not sell at any price. They are holding out for exorbitant rates.

FATAL BUSINESS QUARREL.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Rome., O., Oct. 26.—During a dispute over accounts between W. T. McCormack and his bookkeeper named Metz, the quarrel became fierce and Metz shot McCormack through the heart, killing him instantly.

MUSIC HALL

The thrilling and picturesque production of Montezuma of Mexico was presented at Music Hall last evening to a large and highly interested audience. From the rise of the curtain at the beginning of the first act the audience was kept in excitement until the close of the fifth act. The mutiny on board the United States warship, the great whipping scent, Merle's escape from El Moro Castle, Havana, the Mardi-gras festival at New Orleans, and the duel in which the hero, Merle, kills his persecutor, together form the play which may well be termed a formidable rival of "The Count of Monte Cristo."

Joseph Slayton is an actor in every sense of the word and plays the part of Montezuma to perfection. He is ably supported by the other members of the cast, both in the laughable and feeling parts. Altogether the play is one well worth the price charged and one which will hold a place in the mind for a good while. The performance will be repeated tonight and tomorrow afternoon and evening, and a crowded house is predicted for every performance.

The Ward 2 Pearson rally will be held on Thursday evening in Jackson hall and will be addressed by Hon. John Welch, Hon. Fisher H. Pearson, James F. Owens, Anthony A. Conway and J. E. Venne.

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OPP. CITY HALL.

A ROUSING RALLY

By Democrats of Ward Four Last Night.

HON. FISHER H. PEARSON CONDEMNS PERSONALITIES

And Answers Some of His Critics.

The Pearson supporters to the number of some 450 assembled at the Lyon street school last evening and for an enthusiastic gathering, nothing in the history of local politics this year or former years ever equalled it. Mr. Robert Hurley called the meeting to order and introduced Mr. Martin Hyde as chairman, who after a few timely hints, introduced Hon. Fisher H. Pearson.

Mr. Pearson received a great ovation when he took the platform and spoke as follows: "I had hoped that the campaign now on would be devoid of all personality and would be conducted in an honorable and friendly manner, but regret to say that it has been made otherwise. I do not intend to say anything derogatory to Mr. Cummings, as I consider him a gentleman and feel that he would make a good mayor if nominated and elected." He also criticized the address delivered by Mr. Dowd at Cumming's Sabbath meeting in Jackson hall relative to redistricting the city of Lowell, claiming that Mr. Dowd pointed out the error in the plans of the republicans in their scheme for the gerrymandering of the city. With this error uncorrected the bill could not have passed without escaping the scrutiny of the courts and democrats would have had a proper representation in the Common Council for another year at least. He closed by urging all democrats to go to the polls on election day, November 2.

Mr. Oliver A. Libby followed Mr. Pearson, saying "It is about twenty years since I spoke to the democrats of Ward Four. I have always suggested the candidate chosen by the party in caucus. I favor Mr. Pearson because he is the strongest man that the party could nominate this year, because he can poll more votes than his opponent. Mr. Pearson is a man who will stand by his party, as well as give the city a sound business administration. He did not approve of throwing slops and opening up a cesspool that would disgust all citizens alike. His only wish was to see the man nominated who could command the largest number of votes on election day. If the party nominated Mr. Cummings, he would of course, support him, but he believed Mr. Pearson was the strongest man and was the candidate of the plain, straight democrats.

Hon. John Welch followed Mr. Libby and said: "Democrats of Ward Four, there is no man I would rather have introduce me than Martin Hyde, a sterling democrat of the old school." Referring to the remarks of Daniel J. Donohue (laughter) at yesterday's Cummings's meeting, he asked how good a democrat he was last year, when he had not the courage to vote at the state and national election? He did not desire to say a word against Mr. Cummings, who was a gentleman and a democrat, but he only asked was Marcellus Fletcher a democrat last year when he openly supported James W. Bennett at the polls, now a supporter of Mr. Cummings unless he thought Mr. Bennett could beat Cummings and could not defeat Pearson.

If Mr. Cummings was so strong a candidate before the people and was always so willing to shoulder the burdens of democracy, why did he decline an unanimous nomination for the board of aldermen last year, when strongly urged to accept by many prominent democrats? Mr. Pearson has fought the battles of democracy in season and out of season and has never sulked after defeat or changed in his democracy after victory. Mr. Donohue does well in attacking the administration of the postoffice, he of all men. Let him compare the record of democracy in the postoffice under Gardner W. Pearson and that of the present alleged democratic mayor, Mr. Donohue's partner and patron. Had the present mayor been the right kind of a democrat he would have made all his appointments January 1, and not waited for the republican legislature to deprive him of the power. The only man he did so appoint, Dick Bray, still holds his place.

Why is it that the Courier and Citizen are so anxious to see Mr. Cummings nominated? Did anyone ever accuse those organs of being democratic? With the city treasurer, license commissioner and a member of the Board of Health on its staff, do they want a strong democratic nominated, and who when elected, would take away those fat offices from them? Not much. They fear if Mr. Pearson is nominated, he will be elected and with a democratic Board of Aldermen at his back.

Is it not significant that Mr. Cummings' friends should champion the police commission as now constituted and that the Courier-Citizen should give them two columns of their valuable space for their remarks. "Just stop and think about this."

Thomas H. Muldoon, the next speaker, paid his respects to the men who were the most active supporters of Mr. Cummings and incidentally squelched one John T. Casselly, a Cummings man who attempted in a disorderly manner to interrupt the meeting.

Anthony A. Conway was received

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LATEST

QUEER HOLINESS

Middleton, Mass. People in Trouble

BECAUSE OF THEIR ALLEGED FAITH CURE

That Resulted Outrageously to Patient.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Middletown, Conn., Oct. 26.—Warrants have been issued for many prominent citizens of this town interested in the so-called "Holiness" movement, on the charge of cruel treatment of Mrs. Albina Mervin, a town charge sixty years old. She has suffered from rheumatism and these people baptized her in an icy pond last winter and recently made her rock so violently in a chair that she fell on the floor. She was left there six hours while they prayed. Her legs were injured and her face bruised.

INSURANCE MEN

THE METROPOLITAN CO. WARM THEIR NEW QUARTERS.

their elegant new quarters at rooms 75, 76, 77 and 8 Central block, October 25, the Metropolitan Life Insurance company of the Lowell staff, with Superintendent William Thornton invited the high officials from the home office in New York to a banquet. The officials from the home office were W. M. Killington, Supt. of Agents, Northand West (Industry Dept.) and John M. Crane, Supt. of Agents (Ordinary Dept.). There were also present J. W. Upp, Supt., Lawrence, Mass., Wm. M. M. DeWaters, Supt., Haverhill, Mass. There were special words of praise for under the management of Mr. Thornton and his staff. The growth of the organization is wonderful. They have in this coutnry 225 main offices and over 300 branch offices and give employment to 11,000 men in the insurance business. The total number of policy holders is over 4,000,000.

They have the most complete organization of any concern in the country. At the house warming and jollification last evening, many interesting stories were told by the officers connected with the company, after which the party of about 75 repaired to the dining rooms of Harry Richardson, Merrimack square, and sat down to a sumptuous banquet prepared for them by their popular manager, William Thornton. At the banquet impromptu speech-making was indulged in and many very amusing incidents connected with the life of an insurance agent were told. The evening's exercises were a grand success and it is another triumph for their skilled and popular manager, William Thornton.

STOLEN GOODS RECOVERED.

Twenty-five yards of cloth were taken from in front of J. V. Keyes' store on Merrimack street Saturday evening and last evening the goods were recovered by Inspectors Laflamme and Allen.

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TIMELY ILLUSTRATIONS.

MAUD GONNE, IRELAND'S JOAN OF ARC.

Miss Maud Gonne, whose work has gained for her the title of "Ireland's Joan of Arc," has begun a lecture tour throughout this country in aid of the Wolfe Tone Monument Fund and a society for Irish political prisoners still confined in English jails.

PRINCE KRAPOTKINE, THE ANARCHIST.

Prince Krapotkine, anarchist and scientist, who is now in this country, belongs to one of the noblest families in Russia and was educated in the imperial palace. In 1872 he was sentenced to life imprisonment for complicity in an attempt on the czar's life, but he soon escaped. He makes his home in London.

"BACCHANTE" AND "THE SPIRIT OF RESEARCH."

"The Spirit of Research" is the title of the bronze statue which is to occupy the place in the Boston library that was intended for Macmonnies' "Bacchante." It is by Fernando Miranda, of New York, and the idea was submitted to and approved by the trustees before the work was commenced.

THE WORLD'S GREATEST GUN.

The largest gun ever built in the world is now being constructed at the Bethlehem Iron Works for the defense of New York harbor. This enormous piece of ordnance will weigh, when completed, 126 tons. It will exceed by 6 tons weight the monster gun which Krupp, of Germany, exhibited at the World's Fair in Chicago, and it will be nearly 5 feet longer than the German gun. It will be mounted on Romer Shoal, where it will have a full sweep of the channels leading into New York harbor. There is not, it is declared, a vessel afloat today with armor of sufficient strength to resist a 2,300 pound shot from the big gun.

OF SCHOOL BOARD

Held a Very Brief Meeting Last Night.

SUPT. WHITCOMB REPORTS ON EVENING SCHOOLS.

The Sub Committees Submit Their Report.

The school board held a very brief session last night at which only a small amount of business was transacted.

It was 9 o'clock when Chairman Swapp called to order. Every member was present.

The committee on teachers recommended that certificates of the first grade be granted to Roger C. Eastman, and Oscar E. Pease, and that certificates of the sixth grade be granted to those who had passed the recent examination for evening school teachers. The report was accepted and adopted.

The evening school teachers recommended by the evening school committee were re-elected.

The committee on music recommended that pupils in the eighth and ninth grades be excused from music lessons, provided they cannot sing. The matter was referred to the committee on rules.

The committee on drawing asked for $250 to purchase material for the school. The report was accepted and adopted.

Supt. Whitcomb said that the evening schools had opened with 137 teachers and 2139 pupils. He said that about 300 had failed to pass the entrance examination to the High school. He stated that in every elementary school there is provided for these pupils a special class where they will receive proper attention.

Mr. Mulligan called attention to the fact that people residing in the vicinity of Suffolk and Lagrange streets object to sending their children to the new Bartlett school on acount of the distance and would like to have them transferred to the Green school. The matter was referred to Messrs. Swapp and Farley, sub-committee of the schools. The board then adjourned.

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DANA'S ADVICE

TO YOUNG JOURNALISTS IN BRIEF FORM.

Among Charles A. Dana's ideas for young journalists, the following may be quoted:

Get the news and get all the news, and nothing but the news.

Never print an interview without the knowledge and consent of the party concerned.

Never print a paid advertisement as news matter. Let every advertisement appear as an advertisement—no sailing under false colors.

Never attack the weak or the defenseless, either by argument, by invective or by ridicule, unless there is some absolute public necessity for so doing.

Fight for your opinions but don't believe they contain the whole truth or the only truth.

Present your party, if you have one, but do not think all the good men are in it and all the bad men outside of it.

Above all, know and believe humanity is advancing, and that there is progress in life and human affairs and that as sure as God lives, the future greater and better than the present or the past.

Mr. Dana was recently interviewed.

"Is a college education a necessity to the making of a good journalist?" he was asked.

"I think it is a good thing for a man to have a college education," replied Mr. Dana, "but I don't think it a necessity. A college-bred man has a better trained mind, and as a rule, he can use his faculties to better advantage, still, the boy who is self-educated, often surpasses him who is college-bred."

"Please give me a word of advice for the young newspaper men of today. What should they do to succeed?"

"Tell the truth and shame the devil."

BOXING GOSSIP

There are several interesting bouts scheduled for this week in the following list:

Tuesday—Martin Flaherty vs. Larry Burns, 20 rounds, Manhattan A. C., Troy.

Thursday—Jery Calahan vs. Patsey Reardon, 8 rounds, Lewiston. Martin Flaherty vs. Denny McBride, Horizon A. C., Bridgeport.

Friday—George Lavigne vs. Joe Walcott, 20 rounds, San Francisco.

Saturday—George McFadden vs. Jim Popp, Toronto. Caspar Leon vs. J. Glynn, New York.

The current week is not to be overcrowded with star fistic events, but enough are scheduled to satisfy anybody that interest in the game is at fever heat.

Martin Flaherty is down for two 20-round contests during the current week He meets Lary Burns at the Manhattan A. C., Troy, tonight, and Danny McBride at the Horizon A. C., of Bridgeport on Thursday night. Flaherty has met both men in previous contests—winning and losing with McBride and getting a 15-round draw with Burns in Buffalo. Whether Martin can successfully negotiate the two men with but a day's rest between contests remains to be seen.

Jim Popp, the Canadian 130-pound man, is another boxer who has two tracts on hand for this week. Last night he faced Hiram Goldstein at the Rienzi club of Rochester. On Thursday Popp is to meet George McFadden at Toronto. McFadden is the New Yorker who fought Spike Sullivan to a standstill in a 25-round battle, the result being a draw. Popp is likely to be a bit bruised up after his Goldstein bout, and this makes it comparatively easy for McFadden.

Joe Mullins has returned to Boston after an extended trip through Maine, during which he knocked out William Albert in three rounds, Ike Talbot in three rounds, and had a sixround draw with Isadore Strauss. Mullins tried hard to get on a match with Mike Daly, but was unsuccessful. "I am ready to meet Kid McPartland at any time under fair conditions," he says, "and I don't intend to let the matter drop until I get a definite answer as to whether McPartland will meet me or not. If McPartland doesn't make a match, I am ready to meet any 130-pound man in the country."

Kid McCoy doesn't seem to be able to do better than pick a mark, then box him a light exhibition bout. McCoy's showing against Con Riley at Chicago on Saturday night doesn't seem to indicate that the Kid is letting himself out to any extent.

CRISP GOSSIP

Speaking of popular songs, one can scarcely imagine the number of compositions that are written monthly. And yet so few "catch on." One of the songs that Miss Comer first introduced, "Take Back Your Gold," has had the enormous sale of nearly 1,000,000 copies. Another, which she is singing this week, "I Was Once Your Wife," though but a few weeks old, has already had a wide output; while a third, a strong descriptive work, entitled "Just For the Sake of Our Daughter," can scarcely be printed fast enough by the publishers. On each of these songs, thousands of dollars are expected to be made, chiefly through this marvelous artiste's singing thereof. Is it any marvel, therefore, that hundreds of song writers and publishers watch the stage door for her exit daily and hundreds more burn the midnight oil nightly in pursuit of the simple tune that might bring them fame and nuggets?

A friend of mine, reading in several papers an item to the effect that a California woman owns a very useful pigeon, which every morning just after breakfast, flies to the post office and carries home the letters to the whole family, wants to know what there is remarkable about that or, as he puts it: "What on earth is a carrier pigeon for, anyway?"

If brotherhood of man means heaven on earth, then some of the politicians in this city will never have the pleasure of a heavenly existence.

There already have been three hangings in the Klondike and six suicides. Whether Judge Lynch pronounced the sentence in the first mentioned cases, is not stated.

LIBERTY IN NICARAGUA.

Leon, Nicaragua, Oct. 26.—Several hundred prominent citizens of the best classes are now in prison by order of President Zelaya or his officers. Each of these prisoners has been heavily fined, or a demand has been made upon him to pay a large forced loan to Zelaya's government. More than 100 of these citizens are imprisoned in the penitentiary.

The charges against them are not being in sympathy with Zelaya's government, having sided with the revolutionists against his government in some way, or having refused to pay or declared inability to pay the amount of the forced loan demanded of them. The prisoners are being tried by military courts, usually composed of men of slight intelligence, who hear witnesses of less intelligence. In addition the latter are always ready, without any religious or moral scruples, to make so-called "confessions" implicating the accused.

It is alleged that the congress of Nicaragua proposed to sell to either side, or to anyone who had the money and who would be able and willing to subscribe a few million dollars for "personal considerations," the right to construct an inter-oceanic canal across Nicaragua. "Let the governments of Great Britain and of the United States fight it out; the one who will pay the most is the one now needed in Nicaragua," was the substance of the declarations in the Nicaraguan congress.

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SUPERIOR COURT

The Fall Term Is Now in Session.

PLEAS OF GUILTY TAKEN SENTENCES IMPOSED.

William Singleton Receives One Year.

The first day at the criminal session of the Superior court which opened yesterday, with Judge Wardwell presiding was a busy one, and quite a number of sentences were imposed.

Rev. Charles T. Billings of the Unitarian church delivered the opening prayer and the juries were impanelled and are as follows:

First Jury—James A. Armstrong, Malden; Benjamin F. Blaisdell, Jr., Carlisle; George E. Blake, Watertown; Andrew Conlan, Cambridge; Wm. J. Dowling, Cambridge; Charles W. Durant, Lowell; John M. L. Enman, Winchester; Joseph Farley, Lowell; Benjamin F. French, Dunstable; Frank M. Goddard, Bedford.

Second Jury—Alva H. Richardson, Chelmsford, foreman; John H. Hayward, Ashby; Frank H. Hildreth, Westford; William H. Hutchins, Billerica; Fred L. Knapp, Lowell; Thomas McDermott, Cambridge; Henry F. McGrath, Everett; Charles T. Melvin, Chelmsford; Edgar W. Asborn, Somerville; Coburn S. Smith, Billerica; Herman C. Teele, Stoneham.

Supernumeraries— George Angler, Newton; Avery B. Clark, Lowell; Sanford B. Hubbard, Cambridge; Neil McDonald, Cambridge; Walter H. Titcomb, Littleton; Hiram Whitney, Westford; Charles W. Wilder, Lowell; Henry D. Wilder, Malden; John L. Young, Framingham.

As is usual at the criminal session, the attendance packed the court room, the unemployed being represented in great numbers.

When the juries had been impanelled, a number of cases were called wherein the defendants desired to change their pleas.

Albert Miller and Emma Wood pleaded guilty to the charge of adultery and were fined $50 each.

District-Attorney Wier and Assistant-Attorney Sanderson conducted the cases of the government and the local police officials were well represented there.

William Singleton pleaded guilty of adultery. His wife, who left him a long time ago, testified against him. Singleton was sentenced to the house of correction for one year.

Cornelia Eno received 18 months in the house of correction for adultery and polygamy. She married James H. Jones, a colored man, while she had another husband alive whose name is Mahan. Jones testified that he didn't know she had a husband living when he married her.

Annie Daly, a white woman, and John Means, colored, were tried for adultery and both addressed the jury. Means received 12 months in the house of correction and the woman got one year in jail.

Patrick Farrell and Mary Kane were found guilty of illicit co-habitation and were sentenced. Farrell to six months in the house of correction and the Kane woman to 12 months in jail.

Martin J. Cosgrove, a youthful burglar, was sent to jail for two months, having pleaded guilty to the charge against him.

Mary J. Holt, a young girl, pleaded guilty of forgery and entering a forged order for pay at one of the mills. She had been in jail for four months awaiting trial and Major Noyes, who arrested her took her on probation.

There are no very big cases on this term's list, to use an expresion common to the habitues of the court and the session will be a short one.

The Harris murder trial may take place in Lowell.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The afternoon session of the court opened at 2.30 o'clock, with the case of Joseph Dronin and Theodule Pepin charged with indecent assault upon Philomena C. Ward. The defendants were called together and they pleaded not guilty, both being without counsel.

After a very brief opening by District-Attorney Wier, Mrs. P. H. Corey, grandmother of the little girl, was called. She testified that she lived on Marlborough street and that the little girl was stopping with her during the vacation. The two defendants were employed by her as painters at the time it being in the latter part of June.

The complainant, Philomena C. Ward, a pretty little miss of eight years, was the next witness and she testified to the disgusting details of the alleged assault. The defendants attempted no cross-examination.

Dr. C. H. Ricker testified to having made an examination of the plaintiff, the facts of which tended to show an assault.

At the request of Pepin the little girl was recalled for cross-examination.

This closed the Commonwealth's case and both defendants were sworn.

Pepin testified in English and had much talk about his business relations with the grandmother of the little girl., but nothing in relation to the alleged assault. On cross-examination he said that he had lived in Lowell for the past fifteen years but spent a few years in Boston and Cambridge.

Dronin testified that the little girl was about the house bothering them the whole time they were working there. They told the woman of the house not to leave her around and the women said they couldn't control her. Then they telephoned to the grandmother to take her away and she was kept at her grandmother's store for two days.

A servant at the house was called by the defendants.

Both defendants spoke briefly and Dronin said that the case was trumped up against them because they had hired a lawyer to get pay from Mrs. Corey. After a brief charge the case was submitted to the jury.

EDWARD P. SIMMONS TRIED.

The case of Edward P. Simmons, who is charged with breaking and entering George L. Cady's bicycle store and larceny therefrom of a bicycle; also with receiving the stolen property was then called. Simmons was without counsel and pleaded not guilty. District Attorney Wier in his brief opening explained the two counts, which were inconsistent, that is, he could be found guilty on but one of the two counts.

At this point court adjourned until 9.30 o'clock this morning, with the jury in the case of Pepin and Dronin still out.

Defaults were ordered in the following cases: Thomas Allen, John J. Berry, Mary E. Howe, James Delorme, Joseph Burke, John Lynch, Edward F. Tighe, Robert Henry, John F. Noyes, Terence P. Doran, Thomas Johnson.

THE BIG SWINDLE

By Which the Government is to Lose

OVER TWENTY MILLIONS UNLESS PROMPT MEASURES

Are Adopted to Prevent the Steal.

Bidders in the sale of the Union Pacific railroad property in November, would be permitted to use first mortgage bond in settlement, and so it happened that the reorganization committee controlled all of these bonds. The sale could be jammed through, and the papers delivered before Congress could meet. No one will deny that there are very few bidders who can conveniently carry around or raise in sixty days, a trifle of $115,000,000 in cash, or at least not without involving trade disturbance. If all the three big railroads entering Omaha from the East, except the Chicago and Northwestern, were to join hands and bid for this property they would encounter impossible conditions in the decree of sale. It, therefore, became evident that no bidder could compete with the Wall street pool, and that the $25,000,000 profits which had been anticipated by that pool in this branch of the deal could be assured.

A SOP TO McKINLEY.

At one time, in the course of the adjustment of these important negotiations it was represented to the reorganizers that they would strike difficulties unless they could make it appear that the present administration had made a better bargain than the Cleveland officials, so it was announced on Saturday last by Attorney-General McKenna that the reorganization committee "came forward with an increased bid of $4,000,000, making the total of their gauranted pool $50,000,000 instead of $45,745,059.99, an increase of $4,245,941.

The Attorney-General explained: "This increase removed the objections to the decree (of sale) as far as the money contentions were concerned. In all else the decrees were just and satisfactory. There will be a bid for the roads of $50,000,000 over and above the first mortgage, and besides the benefit of absolute freeedom of competition at the sale. The Government may, therefore, secure its whole claim through a higher bid. It is sure of fifty millions."

In the Government's sinking fund there is an accumulation of $17,062,000, which the bid will obtain under this arrangement. Therefore the blind pool will make a net payment on account of the Government's debt of only $32,948,000, if it gets the road for $50,000,000.

The gain to the Wall street pool will therefore, be as follows:

The Union Pacific Company owed the Government	$92,285,343.83	
The Union Pacific credits on this debt are:		
Government transportation and payments on account net earnings	$21,507,936.33	
Sinking fund accumulations	17,062,000.00	38,569,936.33
Present debt of Union Pacific to Government		$53,715,408.03
Cash payment to be made by blind pool		32,948,000.00
Loss to Government		$20,768,408.00

TO LORD HANNA.

Made of miners, am I bold
In asking if this Klondike gold
Was wisely planned there by you—
With reference to November 2?

Made of miners, is it meet
That I should think this dollar wheat
Resulted from some things you know—
With reference to November 2?

Made of miners, do I rave
In promising a deep, deep grave
For somebody who looks like you—
With reference to November 2?

—J. Syme-Hastings.

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LAWRENCE MAN MISSING.

Thomas Gorman, 24 years old, disappeared from his home Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and no trace of his whereabouts has yet been found. Gorman for the past five or six years has been confined in an institution at Waverly for weak-minded persons. During the summer he was brought home by his parents and went to live with them at 4 Melrose street. He is considered harmless. As he had a passion for going into the woods near Glen Forest, a searching party was organized Sunday and the woods in that vicinity were scoured in every direction, but without success. The police of this city, Andover, Methuen, Lowell and Haverhill were notified and a description of Gorman given them.—Lawrence Eagle.

BARBERS WON GAME

The barbers and the milkmen played the fourth game of the season on the North common yesterday and the milkmen won by a score of 23 to 12.

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The grand bazaar in aid of St. Joseph's French Catholic church opened most auspiciously last evening in Huntington hall, an attendance that packed the hall being present.

The hall was prettily decorated in light blue, pink and green, the charming attendants enhancing the beauty of the scene.

A very beautiful flower booth adorned the centre of the hall, while the others were arranged about the sides of the hall. At all of them a very brisk business was done.

During the evening an entertainment was given on the stage, Prof. P. T. St. George performing on a slack line. The program of the entertainment was as follows:

Overture, Orchestra Champagne; March Gay, Coney Island, Maurice Levy; overture, Canadian airs, A. E. Harris; tumbling, Millier and Larose; schottische, orchestra; comic song, David Honde; tableau The Lost Child; Galop, A. Casey; slack wire act, Prof. St. George; Valse, Orion, orchestra; Magic Art, Ed. Masse.

There will be a change of program tonight.

The tables and their attendants were as follows:

Wheel of Fortune—President, Miss Alma Alexander; assistants, Mrs. W. J. Alexander, Misses L. Gosselin, J.

THOMAS J. GOYETTE.

President of L'Association Catholique, which won the ticket-selling contest at the St. Joseph's bazaar last night.

Goulet, E. Mercier, I. Courville, J. Crepeau, D. Boissonault, A. Monmarquet, D. Filteau, O. Bourk, O. McKetche, O. Gagnon, E. Leclerc, Miss Alexander.

Bazaar Table—President, Mrs. Hilaire Duzois; assistants, Mrs. William A. Parthenais, Mrs. C. Cote, Mrs. Ernest Lanoux, Mrs. E. Richard, Mrs. R. Gill, Misses K. Gill, L. Duzois, E. Duzois, F. Duzois, A. Gill, B. Dextra, L. Desilets, Miss Ploudre, Miss Baril, Mrs. B. Joyal.

Candy Table—President, Mrs. Chas. Boisvert; assistants, Mrs. J. A. Foley, Mrs. Bronigan, Mrs. Joseph Ducharme, Misses G. Guimond, M. L. Soucier, A. Cote, O. Belanger, C. Herbert.

Postoffice Table—President, Miss S. Amour; assistants, Mrs. A. C. Chalifoux, Misses M. L. Paradis, L. Favreau, M. L. Charette, Y. Montmarquere, M. Lemerise, L. Bernier, M. D'Amour, L. Skeffington, Miss Rousseau, Miss H. Lemire, Miss L. Racicot, Miss C. D'Amour.

Flower Table—President, Mrs. J. Boisvert; assistants, Misses E. Lamoue, M. Lussier, G. Boisvert, A. Boisvert; I. Montgrain, A. Bodard, B. Brunelle, M. Brunelle, L. Beaulieu, J. Gallipoux, Mrs. Beaulieu.

Ferris Wheel—Miss A. Alexander, chairman, assisted by the following ladies: Misses Caroline, Albina and Ernestine and Mrs. Alexander, Mrs. Pelletier, Mrs. Le Lacheur, Misses Josehine Goulet, Eva Leclair, Delina Filteau, Josephine Cripeau, Ida Courville, Leda Gosselin, Anne Houresse, Guilmette Gagnon, Delphine Boissonsult, Sophie Carriere, Josephine Merierer and Antoinette Montmarquette.

A big banquet of French Americans in aid of the bazaar will be held in Associate hall tomorow evening.

DRONIN AND PEPIN ARE DISCHARGED.

The jury in the case of Dronin and Pepin this morning returned a verdict of not guilty and the defendants were discharged.

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THE SOLEMN OBSEQUIES.

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with Rev. Fr. Reynolds, O.M.I., deacon and Rev. Fr. Lawrence, O.M.I., subdeacon. John Dalton of the Oblaten' novitiate at Tewksbury was master of ceremonies. Within the church were Rev. Fr. McGrath, O.M.I., of Buffalo, N. Y., Rev. Fr. Tortel, O.M.I., and Rev. Fr. O'Reilly, O.M.I., of Dublin. The casket, heavily draped, rested on a catafalque directly in front of the sanctuary. The choir was composed of fifty voices, directed by Prof. P. P. Haggerty. Mrs. Haggerty presided at the organ. Schmidt's requiem mass was sung. At the offertory, Prof. Haggerty sang the solos in the De Profundis. He also sang the "Pie Jesu" after the consecration.

When the service was ended, Miss Mabel Ware's fine soprano voice was heard in the hymn, "Rest, Spirit, Rest," with the chorus work by the large choir. The final selection was the Miserere.

PROMINENT PEOPLE PRESENT.

Besides six delegates from the Companions of the Forest, the following Foresters were present: S. C. R. Joshuo Shaw of New York; Supreme Treasurer Thomas Donohoe of Rhode Island; Supreme Recording Secretary William A. Hogan, Lowell; Supreme Senior Beadle James Smith, Connecticut; Supreme Medical Examiner, Dr. M. F. Sullivan Lawrence; Supreme Trustee J. J. Doyle, Nashua; G. C. R. Samuel B. Morriss, Fall River; D. G. C. R. Joseph Jacobs, Boston; Grand Treasurer Wm. H. Harrigan and Grand Secretary J. J. Gallagher ,Lowell; Grand Recording Secretary J. S. Anderson, Worcester; S. W., Alfrd Roy, Worcester; Junior Woodward W. H. Stafford, Lowell; Senior Beadle, B. P. Kiernan, Taunton; D. G. C. R. Daniel F. Fitzgerald, Worcester; P. D. G. C. R. John Dalton, Marlboro; Trustees, Thomas Nolan, Brockton; George R. Tousin, Worcester; J. H. Dalagher, Lowell; John T. Leeson, Fall River; P. D. G. C. R. John N. Slattery, Westboro; James McDonough and T. H. Murphy of Worcester; Hugh A. McLellan, K. of S., Boston; Supreme Commander McGowan of the Knights of Sherwood Forest, of Newport, R. I.; John W. Fogarty, Deputy G. C. R., of New Hampshire; John Mason of New Jersey; James Smith, Deputy S. C. R. of Conecticut.

THE FUNERAL CORTEGE.

After the service, the body was borne to the hearse and the large cortege was formed. There were 69 carriages in line. The column was led by the Lowell Military band. Then followed, in order, the grand officers of the Foresters, Chief Rangers of all the local courts, Court City of Lowell, delegations from local courts; carriages in which were the ushers and pall bearers; four drays, filled with floral tributes; the hearse with the Knights of Sherwood Forest acting as a body guard; carriages containing the numerous supreme officers and state officers of the Foresters, delegations from the Knights of Columbus, Celtics, Emeralds, and the Legion of Honor.

The streets leading from the church to the Catholic cemetery through which the procession passed were lined with people. At the grave the service was simple. There was no singing. Rev. Fr. Gigault, O.M.I., offered the prayer. Then as the casket was lowered into the grave the band played "The Vacant Chair."

Thousands who had known Mr. Smith all their lives, stood with eyes moistened with tears and joined in the final prayer that was offered for the repose of his soul.

The interment was in charge of J. F. O'Donnell and Mr. James E. O'Donhad charge of the carriages.

The funeral arrangements were in charge of Constantine O'Donnell.

When the grave was covered the floral designs were finely arranged by Florist McManimon.

The pall bearers were Hon. Jeremiah Crowley of the A.O.H.; M. J. Cahill of the Legion of Honor; E. M. McMurtry Supreme Secretary of the Foresters; Samuel B. Morriss, Grand Chief Ranger of the Foresters of this state; Stephen B. Wyman, Chief Ranger of Court City of Lowell; Michael J. Dowd of the Knights of Columbus; Daniel Halloran of the Y.M.C.L.A.; P. J. O'Brien of the Celtics and Emeralds.

The ushers were Dr. W. J. Kelly, Dr. T. F. Harrington, Dr. A. J. Halpin, Arthur J. McQuade and E. H. Choquette.

The list of the principal floral tributes, taken early this morning, was as follows:

Cross of roses, P. J. Riley.

Oepn book, clerks of the Lowell One Price Clothing company.

Arch with Maltese cross, Knights of Columbus.

Cross of white pinks, Mr. and Mrs. Hall.

Broken column, Hugh Duggan.

Palms and roses, P. Fay and family.

Chrysanthemums, Mrs. Frank Howard.

Wreath, Thos. Donohue.

Wreath, John J. Pickman.

Yellow roses, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. McQuade.

Wreath, Constantine O'Donnell.

Wreath of chrysanthemums Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Donovan.

White and yellow chrysanthemums, Gardner Pearson.

Palms, Mr. McManimon.

Callas, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hogan.

White chrysanthemums, Bessie Connell.

White pinks and smilax, Mr. and Mrs. Hosmer.

Tablet of Joy and Bride roses, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Wyman.

American Beauty roses, A. G. Thompson.

Gates Ajar, Mrs. Halpin.

Wreath of chryssanthemums and roses, Mr. and Mrs. George Fairburn.

Basket, Mr. and Mrs. Lennon.

Basket, Mr. Brosnahan.

Broken column, Mr. James T. Lyons.

Cross of roses and chrysanthemums, Mr. Gallagher.

Scroll, Knights of Sherwood Forest.

Wreath, Mr. and Mrs. O'Brien.

Sickle and wreath, Mr. and Mrs. McPadden.

Wreath of roses and chrysanthemums Hon. Fisher Pearson.

Magnificent pillow, Worcester Foresters.

Harp, Celtic Associates.

Lyre, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Hartford.

Wreath of ivy and violets, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cummings.

Pillow, Whist club.

Wreath, Dr. Carolin.

Crescent and star, Mr. and Mrs. John Clark.

Pillow, Companions of the Forest.

Large tablet, Grand Court of Massachusetts.

Palms, Mr. and Mrs. Harrigan.

Chrysanthemums, Misses Jennie and Julia Smith.

Chrysanthemums, Mrs. Bunker.

DEATHS.

GARRITY—The many friends of Mr. John Garrity, one of Lowell's well known citizens and an employe of the health department, will be pained to hear of his sudden death, which occurred yesterday from asthma and heart disease. Deceased was 46 years old and had lived in Lowell all his life. In the "good old days" he was very prominent in democratic political circles and was regarded as a power in local affairs. He was formerly a member of the police department but during the latter part of his life was employed in the health department. He was of genial disposition and thoroughly honest, and leaves a host of friends. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning from the home of his brother, Mr. Henry Garrity, 220 Concord street. Requiem mass will be sung at the Immaculate Conception church.

FISKE—Mrs. Eliza B. Fiske, wife of George W. Fiske, died yesterday at her home, No. 24 Appleton street, aged 82 years and 5 months. Mr. and Mrs. Fiske were to have celebrated their 60th marriage anniversary last week, but the illness of Mrs. Fiske prevented.

Mrs. Fiske's maiden name was Eliza B. Cutler. She was born in West Medford and was married in that place, October 18, 1837. Mr. and Mrs. Fiske came to Lowell immediately after their marriage and have been residents of this city ever since. Mr. Fiske was a hobbin manufacturer but retired some years ago.

The deceased leaves, besides a husband, two children, Henry B. Fiske of Winthrop, and Sarah C. Fiske, the well known teacher at the Franklin died at an early age, and there was another daughter, Emma E., afterward Mrs. N. W. Storer, deceased.

The funeral will take place tomorrow at 2 o'clock in the afternoon from the home on Appleton street.

LECTURE AT TEXTILE SCHOOL.

Col. T. F. Walsh, agent of the Lowell Textile school, delivered a very instructive lecture at the Textile school last evening upon the bleaching of textiles. He displayed great familiarity with every detail of the business. Want of space prevents us printing the lecture.

The other day while getting a new hat, I noticed an immense pile of bundles in a corner of the store. The clerk told me these were hats left by customers when they bought a new hat. The name of the owner is put on each bundle, so that there will be no mistake, but often the man forgets to call, and the bundles accumulate. Then they are stored away for a few days. This is a bonanza for trumps, who know all about the to-be-called for department and improve the opportunity with advantage. Some of these hats are very good, too, and a few of them find their way to stores where they are revamped and again sold. As for the straw hats, I have an idea that they may feed fires in the winter.

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OLD POST OFFICE.

A ROUSING RALLY.

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with applause and said he was a democrat, first, last and always. He had believed that a third candidate who has withdrawn was the strongest and he had supported him in preference to any other. Now he considered that from Mr. Pearson's record as a straight hard working democrat in victory and defeat, in season and out of season, and as a vote getter who recently ran ahead of his ticket, he was the man to nominate.

While personally on the best of terms with Mr. Cummings he did not believe he had the right kind of supporters. He did not like to see a republican newspaper, so persistently and unnecessarily booming a democratic candidate for office. It looked as if there was some strong reason for it.

What radical change in the police commission does Mr. Donahue intimate that Mr. Pearson intends to make? A republican commissioner's term expires next year and Mr. Pearson will appoint a democrat in his place. Would Mr. Donohue have him re-appoint a republican? I challenge Mr. Donohue or any other man to name one man to whom Mr. Pearson has promised the place of license commissioner.

James F. Owens, Esq., who has always been a resident and voter in the ward until quite recently, was next introduced by Chairman Hyde. Mr Owens was applauded by his old friends and said that while he was not at present a voter in the ward he had a very kindly feeling for his old friends and associates. He spoke of the condition of the party at the present time and showed how necessary it was that Mr. Pearson should be nominated in order that the party should be successful in electing its candidate for mayor. He showed how important it was that a strong and fearless democrat like Mr. Pearson should occupy the position of mayor, a man who has the power to do; so that when Superintendent of Streets Fowler violated the laws of his commonwealth he could be stopped and prevented from imposing upon the men who are employed under him. He also referred to the remarks made by one of the speakers at the Cummings meeting Sunday afternoon, when false and untrue statements were made regarding the democracy of Postmaster Pearson, and said that it was a shame that any man who had succeeded in serving his city and his party as well as the postmaster should be publicly maligned.

He said he was surprised and much disappointed at the new attitude taken by the supporters of Mr. Cummings, in abusing their opponent, Mr. Pearson, and contrasted the manner in which the two campaigns were run and remarked how free from personal abuse Mr. Pearson's campaign had been and attributed the new front of Cummings' men to poor reports from their rallying committees. They probably feel that something must be done in order to save their candidate and had made another mistake in addition to the great many already made, in thinking that the democrats could be deceived or made to believe the false statements they now make. They already feel the sting of defeat and have also discovered that the democrats want to nominate a man who can win and that man is the Hon. Fisher H. Pearson.

Frank McMahon, one of the councilmanic candidates in Ward Two, held a meeting of his friends Sunday, and they reported that his nomination is a sure thing.

"I also believe," said a writer in the Sunday Press, "that to Mr. Pearson belongs the nomination this year. The present incumbent of the Mayor's chair received the nomination several times, I believe, before he was elected and year after year his friends said the nomination belonged to him because he made a good fight the year before. After Courtney's holding the office two years, all that any democrat is supposed to be entitled to, Mr. Pearson's friends placed him in the field as a candidate last year. He was defeated for the nomination through the efforts of a certain combination of office holders and their beneficiaries and by a large republican vote at the democratic caucuses, and I think he is entitled to the nomination this year."

The candidacy of Mr. J. G. Duffy, the 27th district, is being looked upon with growing favor, both by the members of the democratic party and those who are interested in the general welfare of the district.

Mr. Duffy is a young man but those most intimately associated with him know that he has the qualities which are essential to the making of an able servant of the party and of the state.

One thing is sure, that no man who desires to see the party lived up to, preserved, or who desires a representation, such as the people want in the 27th district, will look with disfavor upon the nomination of Mr. Joseph G. Duffy.

CUMMINGS MEETINGS.

Ward Nine Cummings supporters will have a meeting tonight in the High street ward room.

There will be a Cummings meeting in Ward Six tonight in the Fourth street ward room.

A Cummings rally will be held in the Lyon street school house Wednesday evening.

Tonight a meeting of Cummings supporters in Wards Three and Eight will be held.

Owing to the lack of a ward room the democrats of Ward Five in favor of Lawrence Cummings for Mayor, will hold their rally in the High street ward room Thursday evening.

Ward Seven democrats favoring Lawrence Cummings for Mayor will hold a meeting in the Fletcher street ward room Friday night.

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He Gives the Results of His Experience In Alaska—The Riches of the Country Have Not Been Magnified—Some Misstatements Corrected.

Alexander G. Wilson, the St. Louisan who recently returned from the Klondike gold diggings, has written the following interesting statements for the special benefit of would be gold seekers:

"Since my return from the goldfields of Alaska I have received innumerable letters asking for information in regard to Alaska, and particularly the Klondike region.

"I will say in the start it is not a place for any but the stoutest in heart as well as in body and limb; that all who go in there and prospect industriously and intelligently do not find gold enough to repay them. It is true that the majority so far have done well or expect great results from their prospects later on, but those who go into Alaska next year to mine and prospect will have to seek pastures new, as claims on the Klondike and its creeks and benches are all taken for a distance of 60 miles up the river, and to buy an interest in any of the rich ones would cost a large fortune, although fair claims in Circle City district (about $15 a day prospects) can be purchased for a nominal sum—$500 and up. Many of the lucky ones now holding rich claims on the Klondike have been prospecting in bleak Alaska off and on for the last 10 or 15 years and deserve their success.

"To penetrate into new territory after reaching the Yukon valley requires poling a boat up swift running streams, portaging around rapids and bad places (and one will be confounded at the number of them) and handicapped by the clothing and netting that are necessary to wear to protect you from the mosquito plague. Only those who have had the experience are able to realize what a job it is to pole a boat against a ten mile current and fight against these odds. Two men will do well to average five miles a day. As you ascend the stream you will make frequent stops not only to rest, but also to prospect on what you may think likely creeks and places. Every hole you sink through the frozen ground to bedrock requires from one to three weeks' hard work, according to the depth, and if the gravel at bedrock does not pay you are out that much time and work, and time is precious in Alaska, for there are only about 90 days in summer in which you can prospect. There is no use in sinking a shaft unless it is sunk to bedrock, however deep that may be. It is a 'no count' prospect that does not pan out at least $20 a day per man when sluiced. So you see these holes become very expensive if one is so unfortunate as to sink many of them in poor or barren gravel, and barren dirt in Alaska is not so uncommon as you might think, considering all that has been published about the Klondike.

"There is no question in the minds of all who have been there but that there are other districts and streams in Alaska which will rival the far famed Klondike, but they remain to be discovered, and a greenhorn is as likely to find them as any old timer. There are big, strong men in Dawson City today who have been lying in wait all summer for just such a possibility, who are prepared at a moment's notice to take advantage of the news when it reaches them, and get there, pick and shovel, in order to be among the first to stake claims. If a miner was to come into the town for a fresh supply of grub from other than the Klondike and displayed considerable dust, but was chary with the information as to where he got it, he would have a procession following his trail back that would half depopulate the town. Every prospector who comes into Dawson City from any new district or creek is pounced upon as eagerly and anxiously as were we when we landed at Seattle on our return from the Klondike in the schooner Volant. The gold fever in and around the Klondike is very infectious.

"I have been quoted as saying that men die in Dawson City from heat troubles. That is ridiculous. Although the temperature there in summer for about a month is quite hot, I never heard of any heat prostrations. I said heart troubles—heart disease—caused by overexcitement. I have also been quoted to the effect that 'the placer claims on the Klondike can be worked over every spring, owing to the fact that the freshets bring down new pay dirt from the mountains.' That is also an error. I referred only to bar claims in the large rivers. These bars can be worked over every year, as fresh deposits of flour gold are caught continually. This is called 'sniping.' Gold dust is found only on the surface of these bars to a depth of about six inches. The reporter also credited me with saying 'there is no limit to the number of claims any one person pany stake in a district on the American side.' That is wrong. One claim of 20 acres is all that any one may stake out. That is the miners' law which prevails in Alaska, owing to its distance from the United States. To take up a claim on the American side costs $2.50 for recording fee; on the Canadian side it is $15.

"Nearly all applicants for information on the subject of mining in Alaska desire to know what is the best route to the Klondike. The water route, by way of St. Michael's and up the Yukon river by steamer 1,600 miles to Dawson City, is the easiest way to get in, but it lands you there rather late in June, even if you are fortunate enough to secure passage on the first boat up. The fare from Seattle to St. Michael's is $120, and from St. Michael's to Dawson City $90, allowing 150 pounds baggage. The transportation companies do not carry freight or provisions for anybody, thus compelling those who go in with them to buy their provisions from the company at the company's prices. This is a rather expensive way of getting in. The Dalton trail I know nothing of, not having been over it or seen any one who had.

"The overland route through Chilkat pass to the headwaters of the Yukon and thence down that stream is by all odds the cheapest way to get in, providing a man builds his own boat and does his own packing, but it is a very dangerous and laborious one. Some who go over this route will turn back at the first real hardship. Others will turn back when only half the trip is made, and some who go forth may never return, but may find, instead of the fortune they seek, an icy sepulcher in a region of perpetual snow or a watery grave at the bottom of some treacherous river or lake in the north. But any man, sound in health, who uses good judgment and common sense can get through all right next spring, as the dangers are now better understood and provided against. The start should be made from Juneau not later than the fore part of April in order to have the advantage of snow and ice for sledging purposes, and not earlier than the middle of February to have a chance for escaping the blizzards of Chilkat pass.

"Sufficient supplies to last a year, or at least six months, should be taken in by every man entering the Klondike country, and tools, picks, shovels, axes, rifle and shotgun must not be forgotten. Your shotgun will be found very serviceable in supplying small game for the frying pan. A gill net for fishing is also a great convenience. The importance of taking in a good outfit cannot be overestimated. The comfort in having all that is necessary will more than compensate for the trouble of packing. It is a mistake to go in light. A good outfit will consist of the following articles and supplies for one man for one year: Provisions—100 pounds beans, 75 pounds dried fruit, 250 pounds bacon, 300 pounds flour, 12 pounds tea, 50 pounds sugar, 10 pounds baking powder, 8 pounds yeast cakes, 1 pound soda, 12 bars soap, 15 pounds salt, 1 pound ginger, 25 pounds evaporated potatoes, 10 pounds evaporated onions, 50 pounds cornmeal, 50 pounds rolled oats, 8 tins of pepper, 50 pounds rice, 12 cans condensed milk. Tools, etc.—2 picks, 1 shovel, 1 ax, 100 feet quarter inch rope, 1 sled, 1 whipsaw, 15 pounds nails, 5 pounds pitch, 3 pounds oakum, 1 gold pan, 1 jack plane, 1 hand saw, 1 rip saw, 1 set of files, 1 emery stone, 1 hatchet, 8 by 10 tent, 1 Yukon stove and cooking utensils, 1 pack strap, 1 sleeping bag.

"This list of provisions may appear rather too varied to some, but you must have ample strengthening food in order to withstand the work, and a variety is necessary to obviate scurvy. Medicine in the shape of cathartics and quinine is also necessary.

"In most of the letters written me I have been asked, 'Where is the best place to prospect?' I wish I could answer that, but I don't think anybody can. There are many hundreds of miles of ground in the Yukon valley that have all the appearances of the Klondike, and there are many other valleys nearly as large as the Yukon in this vast country that have never been touched by pick or shovel. The valley drained by the Tananah river is one of these. It is over 800 miles long and is navigable by steamers for a distance of 200 miles from where it enters the Yukon. It is thought to drain a section of country as rich as if not richer in free gold than that through which the Yukon passes. Still, there is another section there is reason to believe will be found exceptionately rich. This is the Stuart river district, and lies about 200 miles southeast of Dawson City, and is thought to be about 400 miles long. Neither Tananah nor the Stuart country can be said to have ever been trodden by the foot of white man nor by the Yukon Indians. Copper river district is another one that promises great results to the party that has the nerve and indomitable energy to scale its foaming current. White river, which enters the Yukon nine miles above Stuart on the west side, nobody knows anything about, but is believed to drain a rich section. All these immense districts are very hard of access, and if a band of hardy men ever attempt to penetrate into any of them they must count on bidding goodby to friends and civilization for at least three years, and more likely five. Minnuto creek, about 600 miles below Dawson, is the latest rich discovery. The gold taken from that district is of more refined quality than that at Klondike. This creek is only lightly staked and prospected.

"As a last injunction to those who intend trying their luck in Alaska I will say: Don't rush. Take your time. Don't be afraid of others beating you. Don't get excited. Keep a cool head. Remember there is plenty of territory there for all, and gold, too, when it is found. If you are afraid of bad places you meet on the rivers, take the safe course and portage round. If you are fortunate enough to discover rich gravel, don't try to work it out in a summer or a winter. Do a fair day's work on it every day of ten hours. Sleep and rest the other 14. Many a strong man has killed himself up in that faraway country through overwork. Some of them will toil 12 or 14 hours every day on short rations, and thereby lose their health, so greedy are they."—Alex G. Wilson in St. Louis Republic.

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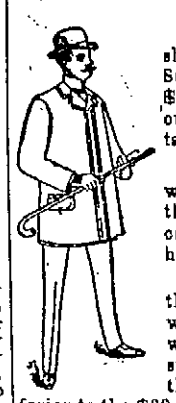

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The friends of Mr. Cummings have made a mistake by inaugurating a campaign of personal abuse. Should Mr. Pearson answer in kind, the canvass would be a laughing stock and a disgrace, with the result that neither candidate could be elected.

Sir Edwin Arnold married his Japanese bride by taking a cup of tea with her. This is said to be the form of the marriage ceremony in Japan. But the cup of tea marriage would not do in England and Sir Edwin had to marry his bride over again. This was his third venture.

Alderman Peirce's order providing that all bills sent into the city treasury for payment shall be open to inspection by citizens contemplates a proper regard for the rights of taxpayers. It would help to remind the city authorities that they are but the servants, not the masters of the taxpayers.

Hon. George Fred Williams and Pierre Humbert, Jr., are two of the best political orators in the country. If the republicans or the gold democrats want the issues of the campaign discussed, they can be readily accommodated by either of these gentlemen. Perhaps the gold democrats would risk Dr. Everett in a discussion with one of them. If so, the two champions are ready.

The platform adopted by the democratic party at Worcester this fall takes strong ground in opposition to government by injunction. This plank of the platform says "judges who usurp the powers of the legislature and of the executive unlawfully invade personal liberty and forget that this is a government of laws and not of men."

The efforts of the Mail yesterday to have the public believe that either of the Pearsons spent the Sunday in a country camp playing base ball and other games is a sample of the "small politics" that constitute a leading feature of this campaign. With the Mail and the Citizen hammering Pearson, it seems that they both dread his nomination.

During the past few weeks not less than four or five persons have been shot by hunters in the Maine woods. It seems that men go there without any knowledge of the use of a gun and fire indiscriminately in all directions. The consequence is that people at a distance have been shot down, while the hunters have escaped. They should be punished for such criminal recklessness.

The city has now a costly manual training institution in the old Moody school, but it is valuable only to the High school scholars. The law makes it compulsory in the High school, but optional in the grammar schools. When will the school committee find it convenient to give the grammar school pupils a chance? Why should not manual training be taught in the evenings? There would be many students who would gladly embrace the opportunity of spending their evenings in this branch of study.

The desperate hold-up in a Lynn store on Saturady night was quite as bold as anything of the kind in the western states. Five men were covered with revolvers and compelled to throw up their hands while the highwaymen searched their pockets and plundered the store. This would not be quite so alarming were such occurrences less frequent in that locality. It seems that between Boston and Lynn there is great danger from highwaymen, even in broad daylight. It seems that while hold-ups are frequent the police should arrest every suspicious character.

By coming out in a public address in favor of any particular democratic candidate for the mayoralty, John J. Hennessey has proven that he is unfit to be chairman of the democratic city committee, even nominally for he says he is chairman but nominally. Who is it that dominates his course?—but that is easily conjectured. Mr. Hennessey should hold himself in readiness to unite all the elements of democracy in support of the party nominee. By declaring emphatically for a particular candidate and against Mr. Pearson, he has ipso facto declared that no other democrat can have his support for the office of mayor. In doing that he has betrayed the party and should resign at once. He stands in the way of harmony and of victory unless the candidate of his choice is nominated.

The mayoralty caucuses will be held on Thursday evening of next week and then the contest between Mr. Pearson and Mr. Cummings will be decided. It behooves the democracy in the meantime to avoid anything that would result in a faction fight and lead to the defeat of the candidate nominated. Already some of the political disturbers, as they may be called, have been drafted into the campaign to pour out their abuse upon one of the candiates. These tactics will recoil upon the candidates they are intended to benefit, and will injure the party at the polls. No good democrat will resort to such tactics in the ante-caucus canvass.

CURRENT COMMENT

Hartford Courant—Any interference by the President of the United States in New York's municipal election would be a great official indecency and political folly. A great pity, too. The only municipal election in which he has a right to take part under existing circumstances in the election in Canton, O., and there he should confine himself strictly, as no doubt he will, to dropping William McKinley's ballot into the box.

Bangor Commercial—Personal vindictiveness should have no place in the conduct of a great newspaper. It is unwise and impolitic for a great and brilliant editor to be governed by them, as was Mr. Dana, and those who admired his brilliancy and ability, which were of a consummately high type, will have always to regret that Mr. Dana, great as he was, could not have been great and able enough to banish these characteristics from his policy and conduct as probably the greatest newspaper editor in America.

Springfield Republican—The struggle been the two ex-Confederate generals, Longstreet and Hampton, for the United States railroad commissionership, is finally decided in favor of Hampton, who now holds the place to which he was appointed by President Cleveland. Longstreet, with his young wife and added family cares in his old age, has ardently desired this office, for he is as poor as Hampton, and both are too poor to live on their reputations alone. Notwithstanding that Longstreet is a republican and helped McKinley obtain his nomination, Hampton's old republican friends in the Senate have influenced the President to retain him in office. The problem of what to do with Longstreet now confronts the administration. The old rebel chieftain must have a job, for he has upheld republican politics and Presidents in the South since reconstruction days.

New York Post—Platt is determined to connect the President with his fight possibly be done. He seems to have put great pressure on General Butterworth, of the borough of Ohio, to get aid from him in this direction, for the General said in his speech in Brooklyn on Monday night: "On the evening of the 2d of November a telegraph message will be anxiously awaited at the White House. President McKinley said to me night before last, 'Ben, you know how earnestly I feel in regard to the triumphs of the republican party in Greater New York.'" That puts the President in the most attractive light before the machine workers, for what could be more winning than this picture of him, laying his hand on the general's shoulder and calling him "Ben?" And what a glorious triumph it will be for the "republican party in Greater New York," if, in consequence of Platt's exertions, the effort to give it honest government shall be defeated and the city turned over to Tammany Hall for four years! The picture of a President of the United States yearning for a triumph of this sort is one of the most extraordinary ever laid before the country.

Manchester Union—Mr. Edmund's monetary commission has agreed to retire the greenback. On this question we think Congress will retire Mr. Edmund's monotary commission.

Manchester Union—The late George M. Pullman was a striking example of a man who became very rich by knowing an opportunity when he saw it.

Waltham News—The patrician element over in Lexington oppose the proposed electric railway lest their blood suffer contamination with the plebian class from Waltham and other err—the objectors would be thought patricians—'twas only the other day they were clerking it, or following Dame Fortune in the bucket shops. The true patricians are the men and women in the humble walks of life who earn their living by honest toil and do not put n codfish airs. The others are upstarts.

Fall River Globe—General Coxey is travelling about Ohio in a private car. Undoubtedly Mark Hanna was sincere in insisting upon his nomination by the Populists and he means to leave no expense spared that will enable Coxey to draw from the democratic vote.

Lawrence Sun—The Carter Harrison gubernatorial boom has been launched by the democratic senators of Illinois. Henry Watterson's advice to the young mayor to keep in the right path and be President sometime, has evidently made an impression.

Lawrence Register—James F. Leonard is the safest man for the mayor—that he is the safest for the party and also for the interests involved in the campaign. Mr. Leonard is eminently a safe man.

Lawrence Eagle—Gentlemen of the City Council who are ambitious to figure as efficient legislators should make inquiries before offering ordinances and orders to see that there is no serious objection to them in point of law and fact. It is hardly worth while to pass an ordinance that would be in conflict with the law or the constitution of the state or of the United States. Law-making requires intelligence and care.

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THE FAMINE IN IRELAND

A Difference of Opinion as to It's Seriousness.

The Officials are Not Apprehensive—The Clergy Who Know Urge Relief Measures.

Dublin, Oct. 26.—There are two sides to the question of the famine in Ireland. One side is that of the government, which claims the famine is exploited by politicians as an argument against the administration of Ireland. The other side, held by many of the clergy, politicians and people, is that it is certain there will be great distress throughout

A meeting of Roman Catholic prelates was held at Maynooth last week, ates was held at Maynooth this week, and those present adopted resolutions that the archbishops and bishops of Ireland deemed it their duty to submit to the government a statement of their conviction, formed on the personal knowledge of several members of that body that the failure of the potato and cereal crops in many districts, particularly on the southern and western coasts, must lead to great distress and, unless speedy measures of relief are adopted, to disastrous consequences.

From delegates who were present at the convention of the Independents at Dublin last week, details of the situation were learned. The situation is particularly bad in the middle and west Cork districts, south of Ireland, from Macroon to the borders of Kerry, including two congested districts. Meetings are being held, the parish priests presiding, urging the government to start relief work before the people are actually suffering. The district of Bantry, where the greatest suffering occurred in 1847 and in 1879, is as bad as the Cork district. The potatoes are practically exhausted already. In mid Cork and along the southern coast there is not more than a quarter of the usual crop. It is said that a very small percentage of the farmers in this district have saved their potatoes, and those saved are reported to be so bad that when eaten they produce "Irish cholera," and are worthless as seeds. It is feared that the supply of food will be exhausted before the new year. The other crops are very bad and the laborers are in a worse condition than the farmers, because now that the crops are harvested they have no expectation of work until the spring.

The government officials insist upon keeping themselves fully informed regarding the conditions prevailing, and will be able, apparently, to cope with the distress; but they say they are unable to announce at this time what districts or how many people will be affected. J. B. Dougherty, assistant under secretary of state for Ireland, discussing the situation with a representative of the Associated Press, said there would undoubtedly be suffering; but, he remarked, the predictions of a famine similar to that of the year 1847 were the "merest rubbage." He added: "There are several counties on the west coast of Ireland where the people have had an exceedingly hard time to attain self support under the best conditions, and it requires but a small push to send them over the line, so that with a small falling off of the crops they will be obliged to accept aid. This will be the case in parts of the west coast. But two circumstances will prevent a recurrence of the famine in Ireland under any circumstances, namely, the increase of railroad facilities since 1848 and the fact that the people are no longer dependent entirely upon the potato crop. The truth is that part of Ireland is not sufficiently productive to support its people, and it is a question whether manufactures should not be taken to them, or whether they should not be taken to the manufactures of England, the United States or elsewhere, though I am not prepared to say which."

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The Rev. John Stoughton, D. D., a well-known Congregational minister and author of a number of religious works, is dead in London.

The coroner's jury, which has been inquiring into the death of Edward Langtry, the husband of Lily Langtry, the actress, has rendered a verdict of accidental death.

Five dead bodies, those of four men and one woman, were stolen from the morgue at Dunning, Ills., by men who forced open the doors. The bodies were those of the paupers of the county asylum.

The official figures of the registration in Harvard college up to the present time are as follows: Seniors, 337; juniors, 383; sophomores, 443; freshmen, 470; specials, 163; total ,1796. This is a gain of 42 over last year.

The deficit arising from the relief of land taxation in France is to be met by taxing, in accordance with the law of 1872, foreign securities which hitherto have escaped taxation and by increasing the stamp duty on foreign government bonds.

Admiral Matthews, chief of the bureau of yards and docks, in his annual report to Secretary Long, recommends the construction of four new dry docks of the best type—concrete docks at Boston, Norfolk and Mare island, and a steel floating dock at either Key West, Portugas, or Algiers, La.

The most important Congregational council convened since the famous Beecher council in Brooklyn began its sessions in Chicago to consider the complaint of Dr. C. O. Brown, late of San Francisco, against the coast conference, which, he charges, injured and wronged him in suspending him without proper grounds and by improper methods after a council had acquitted him of charges of immorality.

ALLEGES LIBEL

B. D. O'CONNELL, ESQ., BRINGS SUIT AGAINST THE DAILY NEWS.

B. D. O'Connell, Esq., informs The Sun that he has sued the Daily News company for libel, consisting of the item published in last Wednesday's News, saying that Judge Lathrop decided that he could not practice in the courts and to John C. Burke, Esq., that Mr. O'Connell's clients must get other counsel. Last night Mr. O'Connell made the following statement to a reporter.

"Last Wednesday, I notified the News that the statement was utterly false and they took in and changed their bulletin but refused to change the item in the paper or retract. Both Mr. O'Connell and Mr. Burke say that Judge Lathrop never said a word about Mr. O'Connell's clients, and that there was absolutely no foundation for the story. A News reporter called Mr. Burke up by telephone on the day of publication and he referred them to Mr. O'Connell, but they never went to see him. Mr. O'Connell claims that not only is the publication untrue, but the conduct of the News people and their publication of items for the past two years, all of which Mr. O'Connell has saved, prove conclusively that they were actuated by malice and willingly made itself the organ of a well known enemy of Mr. O'Connell to vent his malice. The writ is for $10,000 and Deputy Sheriff Stiles was instructed to demand a bond, which if not given in 48 hours, as allowed by law, an attachment will be made. John C. Burke, Esq., will probably try the case. The writ is returnable the first Monday of December, 1897, and the case will undoubtedly be tried at the March term in this city.

20TH CENTURY MAIDS.

Lola Melilore, the "French Venus," with Harry Morris' 20th Century Maids has a novel fad which she will exhibit while in the city next week. Diamond-studded teeth, pearl toe-nails, and ankle bracelets having ceased to be novelties, the latest is diamond earrings for the finger nails. The tips of the nails on her left hand have been pierced and in them inserted tiny diamonds in the form of earrings, while on her fingers are a number of rings, chained to her bracelet, the chain being ornamented on the back of the hand by a huge pearl brooch. It gives a wonderful effect in the wealth of display. This great extravaganza company appears at Music Hall the last three nights of this week. The opening of the entertainmentis what is called a frothy frolic entitled "Century Widows," and the closing burlesque is entitled "Too Much Trilby."

TWO DISAPPEARANCES.

Two disappearances have been reported at the Salem police station, one of Daniel Muse, of Water street, Beverly, who is alleged to have left home last Monday and left no information as to whither he was going.

The other was of Philip Tremblay, of Salem, a barber employed at Johnson's hair dressing establishment, who went away Thursday and from whom nothing has been heard. It was thought that Tremblay had gone to Lynn, but nothing certain was known as to his whereabouts.

TRAINING SCHOOL NOTES

Miss Gertrude Edmund, principal of the Training school, addressed the State Teachers' Association, held in Hartford, Conn., October 15, on "The Claims of the Children." In a report of the proceedings to the New York Press, the president of the Child study department, is quoted as saying "The most practical address before our association was given by Miss Gertrude Edmund of Lowell."

The Easton Herald says: "In the Pennsylvania Institute, which followed the Hartford Convention, Miss Edmund received an enthusiastic welcome. At the end of a five hours' session, Miss Edmund held the audience of 2000 teachers and students with marvelous power. She will soon be named among the first orators of our land."

GRAND CONCERT

WILL BE GIVEN BY THE EAST BOSTON CADET BAND.

One of the finest musical programs ever offered in Lowell will be presented in Huntington hall next Sunday evening. The East Boston Cadet Band, composed of sixty boys picked from fifty bands throughout New England, will make its initial appearance i this city. In this band are several members of the Cadet band of this cit; including John Hanlon, cornetist; John Gleason, trombone player; Edward and William Lonoey, clarinetists. The band will be under the direction of J. D. Record, the famous clarinetist, formerly of Sousa's band. The band has been equipped with a set o new instruments, of the international pitch, at a cost of $1000. This is the band that will accompany the great excursion to Ireland next May. There will also be vocal selections by a sextette that won great applause at last Sunday evening's concert. Little Olive Smith, formerly with Richard Mansfield and Richard Golden will appear, and M. T. Hurley of Boston, a well known humorist, will add to the evening's entertainment. T. F. Molloy, tenor soloist, James E. Donnelly, the favorite baritone, Miss Adelaide A. Sullivan, and Miss McLoughlin will also have numbers on the program. The concert will be under the auspices of St. Patrick's school.

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"Peace," says the pick, "till the coal mines are delled."
"Peace," says the hoarder, "until I've a store."
"Peace," says the spendthrift, "until I've no more."
"Peace," says the master. "I feed you with bread.
You are my servants until you are dead."

Thus do the tyrants hold sway in our land,
Dealing out death with a merciless hand.
Ask for protection, you're given a stone.
Ask for your rights, you are told you have none.
Thus are the servants kept under the lash,
Subjects of mirrule and counted but trash.
Bow to superiors and cringe at their feet,
Prudence will dictate as wise and discreet.

God of the universe sees from on high
All things terrestrial that goeth awry.
In his good time will the wrong be made right
And your oppression arise and take flight.
Pray, then, have patience, forbearance and trust.
Strive with the demons of Mammon and lust,
Keeping the law. When election arrives,
Vote for your freedom, your homes and your lives.
—"Good Will" in Johnstown Democrat.

Why Is Action Not Taken?

The Journal of the Knights of Labor claims, what we have stated previously, that free coinage of silver is now the law of the United States. The law of 1889, which provided for such coinage, it states, was repealed in 1873, but re-enacted in 1878 with a new clause requiring the purchase and coinage of 2,000,000 to 4,000,000 ounces of silver per month. It was this clause and not the law of 1837, which was repealed in 1893, which also repealed the purchase clause of 1890. The Journal attributes the failure to act on this view to the fact that owners of silver bullion are also the largest gold and bond owners in the world, so that they benefit $10 by gold appreciation for every dollar lost by silver depreciation. But it is strange that others interested in silver mines and prominent silver advocates don't have the case brought to a test.—San Francisco Star.

Well, some of the prominent silver advocates have said that they thought "the enforcement of the free coinage law at this time would kill the political agitation for free silver."—Journal of the Knights of Labor.

When We Have Postal Banks.

The temporary return of prosperity among the wheat and produce farmers of this country caused by the failure of the foreign crops is looked upon by the speculating banks throughout the country as the approach of a great boom. These banks are beginning to make things a little better by investing depositors' money in various kinds of speculations. It will be a sorry day for depositors in these banks, however, should the government establish postal savings banks at the next session of congress. Should this be the case, everybody will be in a hurry to have their money deposited with the government, and these banks will find it mighty hard to meet their deposits upon demand. The days of the speculating banks will be short should the people succeed in establishing the postal savings bank where they can deposit with the government and know that it is safe.—Denver Road.

A Massachusetts Populist.

I make no apology for the action of our party in 1896. Mr. Bryan was worthy of the support we gave him then. He and others not in our party are teaching our principles today.

But between now and 1900 either William J. Bryan and his followers will degenerate into partisans and surrender to the conservatism which framed that financial plank in the Chicago platform or they will bring the Chicago platform up to Bryanism. Failing in that, their duty as patriotic political leaders is to be true to their political convictions and to align themselves with the party which fearlessly writes in its platform, "Money by law and no corporation credit to circulate as the currency of the people."—E. Gerry Brown.

Corporations and Their Tools.

Corporations that were to be servants and begged the privilege of supplying cities with conveniences or of serving the country at large have become masters. We have had 30 years of colorless politics, in which both of the political parties were simply conveniences for organized greed. There was nothing to arouse the deep slumbering patriotism of the masses, and a race of politicians came to the front, many of whom had no convictions, but straddled every proposition and then waited to be seduced. They were men who made every promise to the laborer and then betrayed him. These men became instruments through which the corporations worked.—Ex-Governor Altgeld.

The First Step.

There are hundreds of thousands of old Republicans who are right at heart, but who are influenced by party loyalty into clinging to an organization that has degenerated into a corrupt political machine engineered by venal and ambitious tricksters and demagogues.

The first step to take is to step out of the old organization. Throw off the party harness, take a free breath, look around you, study the situation and then be man enough to put your shoulder to the wheel and help build up another grand old party which shall do as much for the white slave as the old Republican party did for the negro slave.—S. F. Norton.

Who Make a Country?

For me the real making of one's country is done out of sight—in garrets and workshops and coal pits—by people who die every minute, forgotten, swept into heaps like autumn leaves, their lives mere soil and foothold for the generations that come after them.—Mrs. Humphry Ward.

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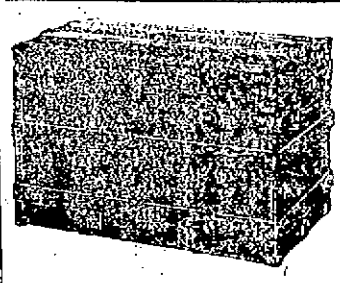

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New York, Oct. 26.—High tides and higher winds that drove the sea inland have caused an immense amount of damage along the Atlantic coast at nearby points during the past 24 hours. Many buildings erected on the sands at the summer resorts were knocked to pieces and carried out to sea, and coast liners have suffered much loss and delay by reason of the storm.

The highest tides in years, supplemented by the wind, which blew at the rate of from 85 to 90 miles an hour, prevailed yesterday, and when the high water reaches its maximum today even greater damage is expected unless the gale abates. From down the Long Island coast the heaviest damage is reported.

The greatest damage is reported from the lowlands in the vicinity of Edgemore, where the mammoth Edgemore hotel is threatened with destruction. Wind and seas have already destroyed about $35,000 worth of the hotel property, mostly in the shape of small buildings, walks, bathing pavilions and in washing away the grounds.

The fury of the storm and the great force of the waves could be well observed at the highlands of Navesink. One hundred and fifty feet of the top work of the government trestle connection at Sandy Hook was carried away. The big rocks, which weigh several tons, and which were placed to afford protection for the railroad in just such emergencies as this, were rolled about by the sea as though they were so many marbles. Many of them were lifted up and deposited upon the railroad tracks. The bulkheads were destroyed.

All the places along Staten Island sound reported high water and more or less flooding of the lowlands by the tides, but no great damage. The meadows below Elizabeth were all flooded. The meadows on Staten Island were also under water.

MOST SEVERE IN YEARS.

Atlantic City, N. J., Oct. 26.—The northeast storm is probably the most severe in many years. In point of high tides it has not been equalled, it is stated, since 1844. The damage done thus far does not equal that of the storm of 1889, but if it does not abate soon it promises to exceed it. The principal damage accomplished has been by the wind.

At the inlet a section of the yachtmen's wharf was carried away by the breakers pounding against it, as was also one end of John Mohrer's pavilion. Bolton Parsons' houses on Grammercy place, nearly completed, were blown over, while two brick houses owned by the Moore Bros. were laid low. The three railroad beds have been washed out for a considerable distance, thus shutting the city out of train service either way. The tracks of the Philadelphia and Reading were picked up by the surging waters and carried up against the telegraph poles, a distance of about 10 feet.

At Chelsea about six squares of board walk were washed away and several valuable bulkheads were wrecked. One in front of the Catholic convent was damaged to the extent of $500.

In the back part of the city houses bordering on the meadows are surrounded by water. The residents have to use top boots to reach their homes. The county court term had to be postponed because the judge and jurymen cannot leave the city, there being no trains out. The damage here is estimated at $16,000.

NEW BREAKWATER RUINED.

Newport News, Va., Oct. 26.—A terrific wind and rain storm swept across the Virginia peninsula Sunday. It commenced early in the day and is still raging. Much damage is said to have been done to the late crops in the outlying districts. The water is higher than it has been for years. The breakwater, which was recently built on the water front, is in ruins and the beach is strewn with the wrecks of small craft. The Y. M. C. A. bath houses are wrecked, a number of valuable pleasure boats were sunk, while others were washed to sea. Two lives are reported lost.

CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE.

Norfolk, Oct. 26.—A very severe storm swept over this section Sunday night, doing considerable damage in the city. All the lower parts of the city were flooded and street car traffic was suspended for a time to suburban points. Wires were down all over the city.

MANY ANIMALS DROWNED.

Wilmington, Del., Oct. 26.—The storm is raging fiercely at Bowers beach, Kent county. William Spencer and his wife are in the second story of their cottage, which is surrounded by water, and help cannot reach them. Many animals have been drowned. Several boats have been washed ashore and one vessel lies in the main street of the town.

NO RICHER THAN BEFORE.

Fall River, Mass., Oct. 26.—Two men of this city, John and Robert Cook, who left for the Yukon gold fields July 26, have returned to their homes with a tale of hardship and suffering. They were accompanied by two men named Tucker and Powell, whom they met at Boston. The party left Seattle Aug. 5 on the steamer Cleveland, and 27 days later arrived at Fort Yukon. Here they left the large number of gold seekers and pushed on toward Circle City. Finding nothing but starvation ahead, they returned to Fort Yukon and then set out for Manook.

While prospecting, Tucker and Powell became separated. The Cook brothers later found the dead body of Tucker, who had died of starvation and exposure, and shortly after found Powell a raving maniac. They tell a story of exposure and starvation with exorbitant rates for everything. Large quantities of food were waiting at St. Michaels to be transported to the interior, while the steamers were carrying quantities of whisky. The brothers deny the report that large quantities of gold are being brought back, and insist that the stories are grossly exaggerated. They returned with $12 worth of gold.

RATHER DISCOURAGING REPORTS.

Madrid, Oct. 26.—A dispatch received from Havana has caused considerable stir in political circles. It declares that the opponents of autonomy are seeking to create difficulties for Marshal Blanco, who succeeds General Weyler as captain general of Cuba, adding that the situation in that island is the same as it was six months ago. The dispatch further says that the military operations of the Spaniards are suspended; that the troops are solely employed in guarding the railroads, and that it is estimated that 40,000 soldiers are on the sick list.

Finally, the dispatch asserts that the financial situation in Cuba is frightful; that commerce is paralyzed, and that the autonomist committee is not in accord with the members of the autonomist party.

SUICIDE OF A FAMILY.

Paris, Oct. 26.—A tilemaker named Guillout, his wife and four children have committed suicide by the use of charcoal fumes at Choisy-Le-Roy. Poverty was the cause of their self-destruction.

The United States embassy will make an application to the French government for the extradition of William R. Foster, Jr., who absconded from New York, Sept. 26, 1888, with, it is claimed, $193,-600 belonging to the gratuity fund of the New York produce exchange and who was arrested at Neuilly last Saturday by the French police at the instance of Scotland yard detectives.

KILLED ON HIS FIRST TRIP.

Blackstone, Mass., Oct. 26.—J. T. Martz, a brakeman on the New England railroad, fell from a car at Woonsocket Junction yesterday afternoon and died later from his wounds. He had pulled a coupling pin to switch the car from the main line to a spur track and fell upon the track. His body blocked the wheels and he was pushed along for some distance. His injuries were of an internal nature about the abdomen. This was Martz's first trip on the road as a brakeman. He was a native of Harvard, N. B., and leaves a wife and four children.

FUGITIVE FROM JUSTICE.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 26.—Harry A. Cassin, ex-bank cashier, is a fugitive from justice. When his case was called in the superior criminal court yesterday he did not appear. Cassin was indicted last spring for embezzling $71,000 of the funds of the Georgia Loan, Savings and Banking company, of which he was cashier. He gave bond in $10,000, which was signed by F. M. Colker of this city, who, it is said, was indemnified against loss by the father-in-law of the young banker. It is said that Cassin is now in South Africa.

WHOLE NATION INSULTED.

Berlin, Oct. 26.—The refusal of the czar and czarina to receive the Grand Duke and Grand Duchess of Baden at Darmstadt after the latter had intimated to their Russian majesties a desire to visit them is vigorously criticised by the German press. The government issued orders forbidding the telegraphing of any comment on this subject, and its gravity may be judged when it is added that many of the German newspapers regard the occurrence as an insult to the whole nation, as the Grand Duchess of Baden is a daughter of Emperor William I.

BAR EXAMINERS SELECTED.

Boston, Oct. 26.—The members of the new state board of bar examiners, which was created by an act passed by the legislature, are Judge Henry S. Dewey of Boston, Jabez Fox of Cambridge, Milton Reed of Fall River, E. R. Pierce of Fitchburg and Fred L. Green of Greenfield. This board supersedes all the county boards in the state.

LEADER SHEEHAN'S ESTIMATE.

New York, Oct. 26.—John C. Sheehan, leader of Tammany hall, said yesterday: "I am confident that Van Wyck will poll at least 250,000 votes. Tracy is sure of second and I believe Low will be third. George will be a poor fourth—in fact he and Gleason will run pretty closely."

WILLIAM'S RALLY

What the Democracy Proposes to do.

THE LAWS THAT SHOULD BE CHANGED AND HOW.

The Campaign Issues Ably Discussed.

Haverhill, Mass., Oct. 26.—Thomas Saunders presided at the Democratic rally Monday night, and members of the Democratic city committee occupied seats on the platform. Mr. O'Keefe was the first speaker and prefaced his remarks by stating that Haverhill was the first city last year that supported Mr. Williams' action at Chicago. "The party," he said, "will stand by the platform adopted at Chicago, as it stands more than any other for the rights of the common people. At no time in its history has the Democratic party been so free from corporate influence as it is today. No agent of any corporation, be he William C. Whitney or any other man, can dictate to it. It was early in the eighties that the late Governor Butler attempted to rescue the party from the power of corporations." This reference to Governor Butler called forth a storm of applause.

Mr. O'Keefe spoke on the injunction question, and said that men are now forbidden from walking in front of a factory where a strike is in progress by an edict of the supreme judicial court.

Mr. Williams followed with one of his characteristic speeches. He said: "No more insane, empty or meaningless platform was ever produced than that which came from the Republican convention of 1897. There is not a living issue in it that is worth considering, and with such a platform of air I am not surprised that the Republican speakers have all retired, fearing to stand upon it lest they should have a fall. The distinguished junior senator from Massachusetts has made an apology to the shoemakers of New England for what he acknowledges to be a sacrifice of their interests. The governor rose to make two statements: first, that the Republican party had gone too far in the appropriation of the people's money, and that therefore retrenchment was immediately necessary, and secondly, that the boards and commissions of the state to do the public business are all sufficient in number and should not be extended. Who knows what moth or caterpillar may crawl into the state next year and ask for an appropriation of half a million of dollars from the taxpayers?

"Now the Democracy proposes to place it in the power of the people to do two things: first, if petitioned by a certain number of persons to have any law passed by the legislature submitted to the approval of the people. Second, if the legislature refuses to pass laws which the people demand then a given number of citizens may frame legislation and demand that it be submitted to the people for their approval. These are the essential planks in the Massachusetts platform of 1897. The first in importance demands the restoration of silver to the coinage of the land at a ratio of 16 to 1. As we have justified our prophecies this year, so surely when the time comes next year will we justify them."

DEATH DUE TO DROWNING.

Calais, Me., Oct. 26.—There was thought to be some mystery connected with the finding of the body of Patrick O'Brien, a wealthy farmer, in the water of a brook at Chamcook, N. B., Sunday. On the report that a murder might have been committed, the attention of the coroner at St. Andrews, N. B., was secured.

It is generally believed that O'Brien met his death by accident while returning from St. Stephens, where he had sold a load of produce last Thursday. His horse probably ran away, throwing O'Brien out. The horse naturally went home, while O'Brien started to follow on foot. On the footpath on the bridge over the Waweig brook were loose planks, and it is supposed that he fell through and into the water below.

A searching party found O'Brien's hat on the bridge, and when they dragged the stream below the body was found. The coroner's inquest will probably clear up what mystery is supposed to surround the death.

PESTHOLE AT HAVANA.

Washington, Oct. 26.—In his last weekly report to Surgeon General Wyman, Sanitary Inspector Brunner, of the marine hospital service, reports seven deaths from starvation in Havana for the week ended Oct. 7, and 21 for the week ended Oct. 14. He also reports a rapid increase in intestinal disease owing to the contracted food supply, estimating that 2-5 of the deaths of the city are due to this cause.

Dr. Brunner calls attention to the place set aside for the country people sent to Havana which, he says, is a pesthole. After inspecting the building he said: "There were 500 people found in and around this building, and of that number over 200 were on the floor sick and dying. I saw no child under 10 years of age who could be considered in good health. They were invariably suffering from some form of enteritis or dysentery. The emaciation of their bodies was startling."

VICTIMS ARE IDENTIFIED

Killed at the Great Railroad Catastrophe on Hudson River.

All But Three Bodies are Found—A Bride Who Prayed When Saved From Entombment.

Garrisons, N. Y., Oct. 26.—The complete list of the killed in the New York Central and Hudson River railroad wreck, and which the railroad officials believe include all of those who could possibly be lost, is as follows: Engineer John C. Foyle, East Albany; Fireman John O. Tompkins, East Albany; Samuel Williams, Buffalo; Thomas Riley, St. Louis; W. H. Q. Myers, Tremont, N. Y.; A. G. McKay, Harlem; E. A. Green, Chicago; William Schenckenbecker, Newark, N. J.; Guiseppi Taguana, New York city; Mrs. Robert Lindsman, Utica; unknown woman; Chin Lee Song, San Francisco; Chin Fong Hop, brother of Chin Lee Song; Hoo Wuh, New York; Lee Tong Sing, New York; unknown Chinaman with a letter to Hop Sing of Newark, N. J.; Wong Gim, residence unknown; two unknown Chinamen.

The number is 13, and there is little doubt that this is the total list of the killed. The bodies of the engineer, fireman and Van Etten's secretary are yet in the river, with small hopes of their immediate recovery.

Tinge of the Dramatic.

The incidents and features of yesterday had a tinge of the dramatic around them, the contrasts of light and shade being somewhat remarkable. Had it not been that torrents of rain poured down all the afternoon the New York Central railroad people would have had an excursion upon their hands larger than any one for many years. As it was, trainload after trainload of curiosity seekers either landed at the stations near the point of the wreck and walked through the drenching rain to stand there and stare at the burning embers and mutilated cars, or else rode down on the trains to the vantage point.

There was a similar display of curiosity at Cold Spring, where the 16 dead bodies lay. Of those 16 dead, eight were heathen foreigners, whose names or residences meant scarcely anything to the general public, and yet six of these eight were identified and claimed long before any person had come forward to inquire or seek for two well-dressed and evidently very respectable white women, the only women killed in the wreck. In the morgue they lay unclaimed and unsought, evidently, while the other dead were claimed and taken care of. The 16 bodies that were held at Cold Spring for identification and the claim of the relatives were divided between the undertaking establishments of Mr. McKeel and McIlvary. All day long these places were besieged by crowds of the curious, but only those who might in any way establish the identity of the victims were admitted to look upon them.

One of the two women was identified last evening as Mrs. Mary Lindsman of Utica, N. Y. She was identified by her husband, Robert Lindsman, who said that his wife left home on Saturday night to go to Croton on a visit to her mother. Mr. and Mrs. Lindsman were married in August last. Mrs. Lindsman was 24 years old and was a good looking woman. Her husband was very much affected when he saw her dead body.

Searching For Three Bodies.

The wrecking company made another vigorous search for the bodies of the engineer and fireman and Superintendent Van Ettan's clerk, Mr. McKay. When the diver came up he declared that it was his belief that the bodies were some distance away from the wrecked engine. He said: "The boiler and machinery of the engine lie out some 50 feet from shore, and the cowcatcher and front of the boiler are away down in the sand. The body of the engine left the trucks, for the trucks are within 25 feet of the shore and further up the stream. The tender broke away from the engine and lies partly turned over somewhat to the rear. The cab of the engine is badly smashed, but I could find no trace of any of the missing men, and I don't believe they are near the engine. I should say that if they did not jump, and it looks as if they did not have time, then the rush of water through the cab was so fierce that it fairly swept them out of it and drowned them. I would not be surprised if they are half a mile or a mile beyond the engine."

Still later in the day the diver went down again and began the work of fastening lines and tackle to the tender so that it can be raised. When this is accomplished the other parts will be brought up, and if the bodies of the three men are not found by that time the search will be abandoned, the theory being that the bodies will eventually come to the surface. Mr. Chapman of the wrecking company says that he would not be surprised to hear of them being found 10 miles from here.

But for a few burning embers and the twisted rails, it would be difficult to determine any signs of the wreck last night. Division Superintendant McCoy decided that none of the cars would ever be fit for use again, and that with the exceptions of the cushions there was nothing worth saving. The torch was applied to the day coach and combination smoker car and baggage car. The work of raising the sleeping coach Hermes proceeded slowly, and it was not until 1 o'clock that it was floated upon a transport. While being raised the trucks gave way and fell with a crash into the river. The car was towed down the river and deposited on the bank, where it was destroyed by fire. The last coach of the ill-fated train, the Niobe, was gotten out of the water at 5 o'clock and also burned. The express car is around the little knoll of the mountain, 300 yards below. No attempt was made to raise it until today.

CLOTHING MAN'S EXPERIENCE.

New York, Oct. 26.—Truman Parsons, the head of a clothing firm in this city, and who was thought to have been killed, told the following account of the scenes that followed the first crash and jerk that awoke the passengers. He was in the sleeping car Hermes: "I jumped and grabbed the bar over my head," said Mr. Parsons, "and hung to this bar for an instant until the car stopped its motion. Then I heard the swish and swirl of water. The air seemed to be full of splinters. The groaning and wailing and cries for help seemed to be on all sides. I began to think about getting out. I looked out into the car and saw that both ends were smashed into kindling wood. I looked up and saw a little bright light through a hole in the roof of the car. The car was half over on its side, and I made up my mind to try to get to that hole. I climbed toward it and found it was big enough to let me through. I climbed through and stepped upon the roof of the car. I was the first man out of my car. Then I started in to help others escape.

"I helped a bridal couple out first. The bride dropped on her knees and began praying. Then I saw a little woman hanging out of a window. I caught hold of her arms and pulled her through the window. She was covered with blood, resting on broken glass and in water up to her waist. She was the bravest woman I ever saw. She wanted to know if there were no others that I could help get out. I told her to let me get her out first, and presently she was standing on the roof with the others. I know I pulled four women out of that car, and soon there were a dozen or more of us standing on that car roof. We were all very scantily clad. We stood there for an instant, and then called to the people on shore to build a bridge so that we could get ashore. They did so out of the debris and we walked ashore. Then they brought us blankets, and I wrapped three of them around me. Then they turned the passengers all out of the sleepers that had remained on the track and put us in. I was counted among the injured, although I was not hurt much."

AN ABSURD STATEMENT.

New York, Oct. 26.—President Depew did not arrive at his office in the Grand Central depot until 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. He was given a statement printed in an afternoon paper to the effect that the company had for some time past been watching the place where the wreck occurred, well knowing its dangerous condition. "That is so absurd," said Mr. Depew, "that I hardly care to make any reply. We run the New York Central to make money. As its officials we ride over it almost daily in the same trains with the passengers. Now, does it seem likely that we are knowingly risking our own lives? The only way we can make money out of the road is to make it safer than any other, and we spare no expense to do this.

"I have wired the state railroad commissioners, asking them to come at once while the matter is fresh and make a thorough investigation. One of the commissioners was at the scene of the wreck Sunday, but I want to get all of them there."

BULLET IN HIS HEART.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 26.—A riot occurred in the mining village of Brodericks. A bad feeling had existed for some time between the proprietors of two boarding houses, John Bolitch and George Hornick. Filled with liquor, the partisans of Bolitch attacked Hornick's house with stones, axes and clubs. They had nearly demolished the building, when John Garvra fired from an upstairs window with a rifle, directly into the crowd. Stephen Muri, one of the attacking party, fell dead with a bullet in his heart. Charles Sloch was wounded in the side.

NO LOSS OF LIFE.

Warren, N. H., Oct. 26.—The Montreal day express going south had a head-on collision with a way freight train on the White mountain division of the Boston and Maine railroad yesterday afternoon. Although the rolling stock of both trains were considerably damaged the wreck was unattended by loss of life. The express consisted of a number of Canadian Pacific coaches and a through sleeper from St. Paul.

CAUSED BY AN EXPLOSION.

North Brookfield, Mass., Oct. 26.—The house and barn of Alvin Howe on the West Brookfield road were burned last evening. The fire followed the explosion of a lighted lantern in the barn. Four cows, two pigs, many hens and considerable feed and many farming implements were burned, but one horse was saved. The loss was $2200 and the insurance $1200.

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FESTIVE PARIS SENDS OUT ITS DICTUM.

How the Styles Are Being Fashioned in the French Metropolis—The Russians are Being Imitated.

Paris.—There are new confections galore here. I just saw a coat of green cloth, trimmed with astrakan, which had the wing sleeve and the coat (except the coat sleeve) lined with squirrel. Evidently Parisian furriers expect a cold winter; or is this lavish use of fur the result of the Russian furore? A fur coat is a necessity in snowy Russia.

Everything is Russian here. The moujik or Russian blouse distances all bodices in the race for popularity, and fur is being used with lavishness rare in our moderate climate. It should be a good time for furriers. Fur-lined coats came out last year, but they were of a more clumsy type than this year's smart models, and were less general.

A great deal of figured and faconne fabrics are to be worn. The tartan fever—always periodical here—has broken out afresh. It is singular what a love the true Parisienne has for tartan. A genuine tartan shawl—such as Highlanders drape across their manly forms—is as much prized by the average Parisienne as a genuine Indian shawl. She turns it into all sorts of pretty things. The latest is a wrap arranged in a draped style. Plaid dresses abound; plaid silks and velvets—for blouse bodices—promise to be quite as fashionable as they were a little while ago. On a graceful figure a black poult de sole skirt with blouse of plaid velvet forms an effective afternoon dress.

A great deal of velvet will be worn, plain and figured. The black velvet mantle, jet-trimmed, is always with us; but velvet dresses are to be much in vogue this winter. Few elderly and middle-aged ladies are refraining from ordering a black velvet gown. Parisiennes, let me add, often keep their figures into far advanced life; such are patronizing a very smart gown of the princess type, fur-edged, open below the waist to show a skirt of broche or plain silk—in some distinct color. It is wonderfully comme il faut. The gown is a useful one. It can be worn as a dinner gown at a pinch (with the help of a lace fichu), though it is principally made for day wear, and for visiting purposes. Broches (silks) of large patterns are being adopted by elderly ladies, especially in black, or black combined with mauve or emerald green.

Walking dresses are being made more of cloth than of any other material. The beautiful face cloths are selected for the autumn, and they are made in very recherche style, qualified, however, with the simplicity that the many English tailors in Paris have taught our elegantes by means of exquisite work.

Blue, red, and green cloths are the most prominent, grenat and prune pushing those favorite shades hard. The red prunes are less fashionable than the blue tones of the shade. Satin cloths and cashmere cloths are in favor. Another cloth, a novelty, which has a big future before it, is called here epingline. It is variously ribbed, sometimes having diagonal ribs, not up and down or from right to left. It can be had plain or fancy. In some the fine ribs match the ground; in others the ground is of a contrasting or a deeper shade; some are spreckled with a tiny design, others—and these are the richest—present the aspect of an embroidered or brocaded fabric. The epinglines are made up into tailor gowns of excellent style. One exquisite model of beige ribbed epingline (two tones) has a tailor skirt of moderate cut, neatly stitched at the edge and seams. The little coat, a triumph of cut, fits neatly, with modest, easy basques and stitched seams. The fronts, fastening invisibly with hooks down the centre, has the breast seam running up to the shoulder seam closely stitched. From these two seams broad black braid is draped across the front, like brandenburghs, finishing in an olive of black passementerie and with mitred ends of braid.

AN ART DINNER GOWN.

Cut a seven-gore or foundation skirt in soft silk, not more than 3¾ yards at the lower edge. Line with muslin (not stiff), and edge with false silk hem. On this mount a bell skirt (6-7 yards at the lower edge, and very long at the back for a slight train) in Liberty printed silk muslin. Seam and hem the skirt apart from the foundation. Cut a bodice in lining (low), with front in three pieces fastening on the left. Fit, stitch and bone this bodice, except the side and shoulder strap seams. Then cover with soft Liberty silk (matching the pattern on the muslin) in three pieces—a back, a narrow left side, a double right side. Then drape two pieces of muslin from the left shoulder across the right hip. Stitch and finish the side and strap seams. The front drapery crosses the opening on the left and hooks on the right beneath a bow. This bow (with long ends) can be made of hemmed muslin or of one of the new fancy ribbons. Cut an elbow sleeve (fitting) in lining. Cover with a puff of muslin (half width) and a coat sleeve of embroidered silk. Edge with a hemmed flounce of silk or chiffon. Velvet can be substituted for the embroidered silk. Quantity of material required, silk (for bodice), double width, 1½ yards; muslin (for bodice and skirt), 8 yards. The foundation skirt must be trained like the muslin skirt.

HOW THE NOVEL SKIRT IS MADE.

The skirt foundation is cut on our seven gore pattern, measuring 4 yards. It is seamed and hemmed. On it is hung a seven-gore skirt of Liberty silk, cut long enough for a series of tiny tucks from waist to edge. The tucks flow out, and being very narrow, have a picturesque "corded" effect. This skirt must be seamed before the tucks are made. It is hemmed apart from the foundation, which it joins at waist, pocket and placket hole. Bodice lining of the usual shape, with double right front, so that the fronts hook together in the centre, the right front crossing to hook under the left arm. Fit, seam and bone the lining, except the side seams. Drape on the lining two pieces of accordion-pleated silk striped with lace. Re-tack, stitch and bone the side seams, after a final "try-on." Berthe of frilled silk. A coat sleeve lining is covered with a tucked sleeve of silk, all in one piece, with modified puff. Frills of silk form an epaulet. Bell and bows of velvet ribbon. Quantity of material required, silk (double width), 9 yards.

A NOVEL SKIRT.

Thousands of Egyptians live in old tombs, eating, sleeping, wooing, loving, laughing, dancing, singing, doing all their deeds of daily life and household work among the mummies and sarcophagi.

THE MOON AS A TWISTER

Can Sour Milk and Sour Faces Too.

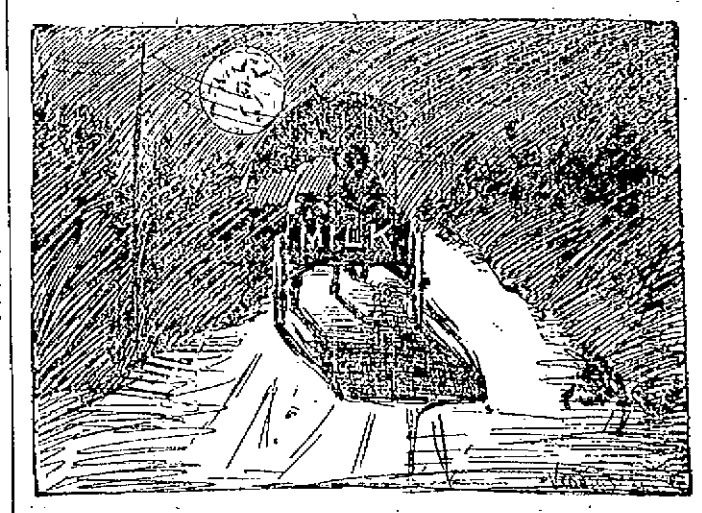
Whatever scientists say to the contrary, every sea captain knows that moonlight can twist a man's face out of shape if it shines on him while he sleeps. And that it will spoil food, too, much quicker than sunlight. One might as well tell him that a whale does not know when its trail is crossed, even when it is miles away. Whalers all know that, and if they can't explain it they are just as sure of it as they are that there is a rise and fall of tides.

Says an old tar, who has been in the Yokohama trade for twenty years:

"Moonlight will sour milk, too, a ... quicker than sunlight, and it will spoil fish or pork quicker, too. City folk don't believe all this, but most farmers know it, and especially do those out on the plains.

"Every seafaring man has seen how moonlight acts. Down in the South, where I've been a good deal, they say if the moon shines on a new born baby it will have green eyes. They say the same thing in France, too. In England I've heard a proverb, 'No moon, no man,' meaning if a male babe is born between the old and the new moon it will never be old enough to be a father.

"Some say, too, that if an unbaptized child sleeps in the moonlight it will have no luck all its life. I've heard German peasants say, 'If you spit at the moon you'll lose your teeth.' Woodmen there won't cut on a waning moon, nor will the women sew if they can help it, which all goes to show that the common people set much store of good or ill by the moon. I'm like most sailors and haven't much use for such ideas, but I know about the face twisting and the sour milk."



PROTECTING THE MILK FROM THE MOON.

HIS FACE TWISTED BY THE MOON

"We were shocked," says a Georgia editor who has just been visiting Rome "to see a city in such a state of decay. They doubtless had a big fire there years ago, and many of the finest buildings are still in ruins. Here at home we would have replaced those buildings in short order. Give us America for push and enterprise!"

CHICAGO'S WOMAN STREET CLEANER.

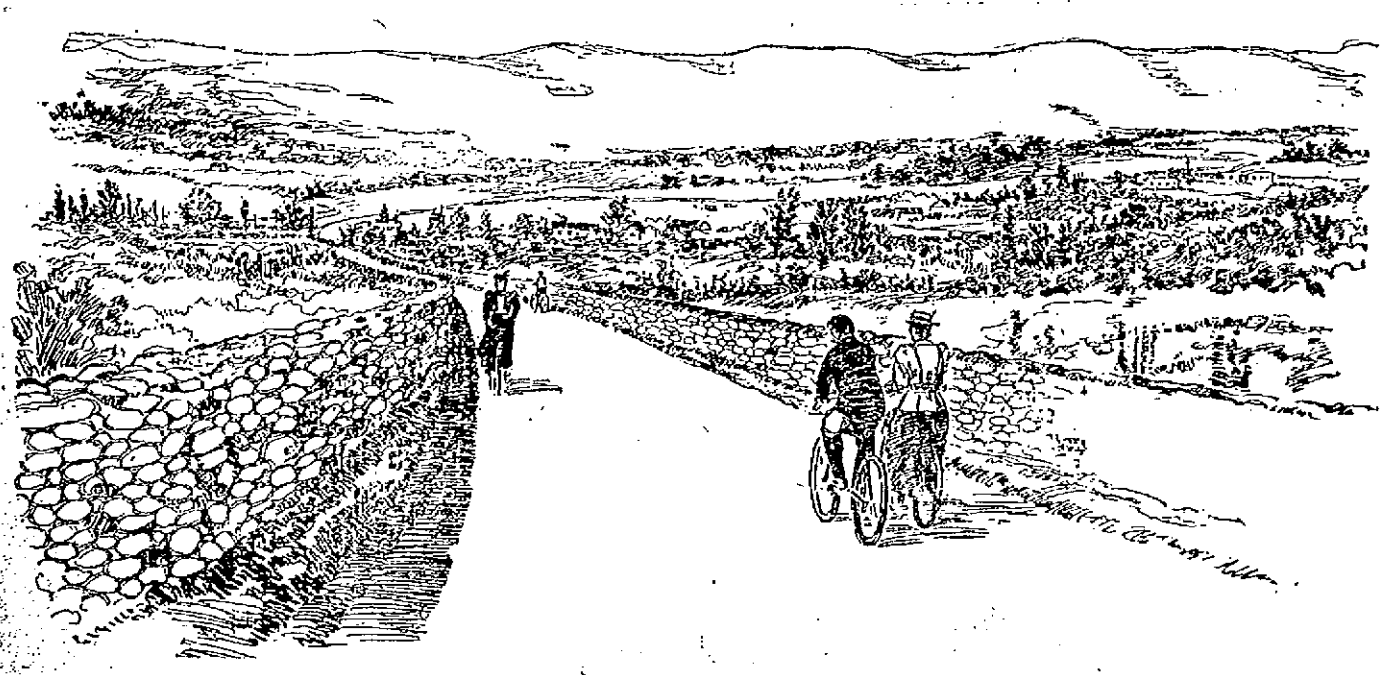
First of all cities in the country to employ a woman as street-cleaning inspector is Chicago.

Long ago Mrs. Paul became convinced that the streets of Chicago, particularly the side streets, could be kept far cleaner, with no more expenditure of public money. In her domestic life Mrs. Paul is not the woman to sweep the dust into a pile under the sofa and leave it there. Much less would she undertake to clean the parlors and leave the kitchen, into which visitors seldom stray, a mass of filth. And now that she is in the employ of the city Street Cleaning Department she will tolerate nothing which would be abhorrent to her as a clean and orderly housekeeper.

When Mrs. Paul began to inquire into the Chicago methods of street cleaning she found that all of the rottenness was not on the streets. Neither were the contractors in the business for their health, or for the health of other citizens. They were on the make, and they got just as much money from the city if the streets were half cleaned as they would have got had their work been done honestly.

Mrs. Paul went into this work not without experience. She was a volunteer inspector for a long time, a hideous nightmare to the official inspectors and to the lowly men who are paid for doing the sweeping and shoveling. Commissioner McGann heard about her, as she had planned that he would, and she tried the civil service examination, passing with honor, and was placed at the head of the list. Now she has got her appointment and men and material have been given to her with which she will start on the worst district of the city.

CYCLING IN THE AZORES—A DELIGHTFUL CLIME.



It is a pretty broad statement to make, that the roads in the Azores, says a writer in the "American Wheelman," are the best in the world, but there is but one other place where the highways even approach them for good wheeling, combined with the other attractions that make bicycling what it has come to be. I shall not tell of that other place here, but I shall tell something of what one may find while wheeling round the island of Fayal, and the greatest of all the is health and the knowledge of a supreme joy in living.

Starting from the little place of Infante d'Henrique, in front of the Grand Fayal Hotel, we pass through the main business street of the city of Horta. On the left is the curious old fort of Santa Cruz, facing the bay, and floating over it is the blue and white flag of Portugal. Sunning themselves on the stone benches are a few soldiers, whose most warlike duty it is to fire a salute when a gunboat calls for water or coal. Sometimes they walk up and down the parade on the street side of the fort in a sort of dignified imitation of real soldiers playing at guard duty, but they are not impressive. There are no battles to fight in these times, so why should the little handful of soldiers who keep up the garrison be required to do more than make believe?

The Government makes the roads of the natural volcanic rock, broken into little bits and rolled with a stone roller by hand. All along the sides, even out in the open country, there are gutters of carefully laid pebbles, and in more than one place these are beautified by fanciful designs made by working together the white and the black stones. And they do not seem to work at them much—just potter around, a little at a time—but the roads are perfect, and they are all over the islands.

And here, in this paradise of bicyclers, where one may live at the best hotel—and it is a good one, with the most spotless of linen and the very best of food—for sixty-five American cents a day—here, where Americans who live too rapidly may go and get a rest, and know what it is to live for a time beyond the pale of the everlasting grind, here in this place where it is a pleasure merely to get upon one's wheel for the very joy of having a perfect road under the tire, there is just one bicycle owned, a wheel of the vintage of 1891.

About one-half the distance between Seattle and Juneau, and lying close to the west coast of Alaska, is the Prince of Wales Island. It is about 200 miles long, and varies in width from ten to fifty miles. This island is heavily timbered, and is capable of cultivation. It has several lumber mills and fish canneries. It happens that there is not a strip of land throughout the vast Alaskan coast, nor within its boundaries, which bears the name of Seward, the statesman whose dream it was to annex this great land to the American Union, and whose persistence won the battle in 1867, eight years after the agitation of the subject of purchase began in the Buchanan Administration. Why should not this island, which bears the name of royalty, and of him who stands next akin to the greatest sovereign of the world, be changed to bear the name of William Henry Seward, the great Secretary of State during all of the Civil War?—Seattle Times.

The expression of the eye and the adjustment of the eyebrows show intensity and fixedness of thought and of purpose.

THE STORY TELLER

AN IMPORTANT QUESTION.

Dear heaven's latest gift to me,
My baby, lay upon my knee,
A little son, the second gift
Which heaven had sent my heart to lift
In gratitude that to my care
He deigned another soul to spare.
"Now have I two to love!" cried I
And smiled to think how by and by
My baby's sister, the wee maid
Who for three years had daily played
The part of queen among us all,
Would come so gayly at my call
And welcome with a laugh of joy
Her first look at our baby boy.

She came, and, standing by me there,
She viewed him with a wondering stare.
Then, turning anxious gaze on me,
"Did he bring his mother?" questioned she.

—Harper's Bazar.

HIS FIRST WIFE.

Cynthia regarded the flashing little circlet with evident delight. It was one of the many that sparkled on her delicate white hand, but it bore a significance beyond the others. It meant the clipping of butterfly wings; the waning of the homage due to a beautiful and marriageable heiress, and which, though often made the subject of scornful wit, was ever accepted and acceptable. It meant the ratification of a sweet and binding contract with the chosen one—the man to whom wealth was no object and rank no allurement, and, for that reason, it dazzled eyes familiar with the radiance of gems.

The fingers that had just bestowed the gift still clasped hers with tender pressure, and, for the first time, she noticed their single ornament—an oddly shaped gold ring, that found fault in her fastidious eyes.

"Why do you wear this?" she asked, with a curl of the lip.

"Because I value it," replied her lover, secretly resenting the little sneer.

Her curiosity was roused. Though she felt that for some reason he would prefer not to talk about it, she persisted.

"Did you buy it?"

"No. It was given to me."

"By a friend?"

"By the best friend I ever had."

The laconic replies annoyed her. She dropped his hand, saying, "Well, I don't admire it."

He accepted the dismissal of the subject without a word, and the conversation drifted into another channel—one of the winding tributaries of love. Future plans were discussed, and dates were fixed, to a running accompaniment of jest and laughter.

Suddenly the ring caught her careless glance again.

"There!" she said, pointing to it impatiently. "It fascinates me. I am sure it has a history. Tell me."

She spoke as one who is used to command and certain of compliance. Leaning back she closed her eyes languidly and waited.

"Go on," she said at last with some surprise.

And still he hesitated.

"It is a sad one. You would not care to know it," he said finally.

She sat erect, intensely curious.

"Indeed I would, now that you are so mysterious. Does it contain poison? Is it a Masonic symbol, or perhaps some weird sign of witchery?"

For once her gayety jarred on him, and he was unable to answer in the same bantering strain.

"My dear," he said, "it was given to me by one who is dead."

She was momentarily silent, then began again:

"I have never noticed it before."

"And yet I always wear it."

"Why?"

"Ah, Cynthia, you asked me that once. Because I value it more than anything I possess."

"Well, I will give you one quite as quaint and with an original inscription. Will you wear it for me?"

Her pretty eagerness made him smile.

"Of course I will."

She flushed a little. "I mean, will you wear it instead of this?"

"No. I cannot promise that."

His answer startled her. It was so grave and resolute. She renewed the attack: "But, don't you see, if I give it to you, it would be your most precious possession. Don't you care for me better than any one in the world?"

He drew her to him fondly.

"Yes. I can answer that with truth, but you would not have me break my promise?"

"What promise?"

"I vowed to wear it as long as I live. If it be possible, it shall be buried with me."

"The dying have no right to extort such promises from the living," she remarked sententiously. "Your friend was extremely selfish."

"Oh, Cynthia, she was an angel!"

There was more sorrow than anger in the tone. He did not look for much depth of feeling in Cynthia. She had been too spoiled. It was his task to bring out the lovable points in her nature that her luxurious life had left undeveloped and in which his love dimmed eyes had foreseen great and noble possibilities.

"She was—your first wife?" asked Cynthia slowly, and showing no disposition to retract her former opinion.

"Yes. The ring had been in her family for many generations. She considered it a kind of talisman, and wore it always, till, dying, she bequeathed it to me. There is my story."

"It seems impossible that you can fall me in so small a sacrifice," she rejoined, with a bitter little laugh. "Still, you see, such things may happen."

Her air of calm resolution was maddening, yet he felt instinctively that no word of reproach or anger would help. Assent was dishonorable, denial was difficult. There was no way out of the dilemma.

"A little time," he pleaded.

"Till tonight," she said hurriedly. "You must let me know your decision by then. Remember, nothing can alter mine. I only claim my right. But," she added persuasively, "you can easily decide now. Let me have my way. Ah do, and end our first and last quarrel!"

There was a subtle fondness in her tone, an undeniable power in her swift upward glance that swayed his wavering heart, but the golden token on his finger pressed him under her clinging hand, and he shook his head.

"No, dear, such a vow is not to be lightly broken. I must earnestly consider your request. I wish you had asked me anything but this," he went on wistfully, seeking sympathy in her soft, dark eyes.

But Cynthia's tenderness had vanished. She drew back piqued, ill at ease, in her suppliant attitude, an ominous frown darkening her fair forehead as she turned away.

"As you will," she said coldly.

Memories that Cynthia's presence had chased for many months crowded vividly into the widower's mind as he strolled on, heedless of din or traffic or the direction to be pursued. Her words of anger and opposition had invested the ring he had almost grown to regard with the unthinking gaze of custom with new and startling significance. It simply riveted him to the past. He might discard it, still holding its purpose in his heart, but the thought was a base one. He knew that his dead wife would have borne such a vow to the gates of heaven, and that no sacrifice would have abated the strength and endurance of the love which he dared not weigh with Cynthia's impulsive passion. He had hardly dwelt on it since she had been taken from him—at first because it meant hopeless heartache, latterly because it seemed disloyal to his betrothed, but now at this turning point he realized his loss afresh and wondered that the remembrance had faded ever so little in the radiance of Cynthia's smiles.

Yet allegiance to the beloved dead meant the facing of the old homeless life, the return of that morbid depression which Cynthia's infectious gayety and pretty, petulant ways alone had power to dispel.

He had walked on, dreaming, far beyond his original destination—the cozy set of rooms presided over by his faithful valet. Suddenly he stopped with an involuntary exclamation, for he stood at the very threshold of his old home. What impulse had led his unconscious footsteps along the often traversed road he knew not or how he came to look upon the house he shunned since the day of mourning, but having come he was glad, for the wrench of parting was not the present pain. He was able to recall the grim old mansion's joyful as well as sorrowful associations. For the first time since his bereavement he felt the desire and strength to see the room within that had been hers, unaltered as she had left it, till Cynthia, resolute in her banishment of rivaling recollection, should carelessly scatter and rearrange.

The old housekeeper started from her lethargy of idle caretaking, answered his summons with clumsy alacrity and soon he stood at the bedside where some years ago he had flung himself in an agony of grief and sobbed out a last farewell.

A melancholy light struggled through the curtained window. The knickknacks they had purchased together in odd corners of the world, the pictures she had chosen, her favorite chair, the couch on which she had lain to please him, with a thought of recovery, he saw through a mist of tears, for a gnawing hunger had crept into his heart in the chill and utter loneliness of the room once brightened by her dear presence. How happy they had been! There was no death for such a love as theirs. It walked and throbbed in him again in this room, where she had breathed out her blameless life, and what had come between them seemed to him like a dream.

Cynthia was right. He must always be making useless comparisons, for something must ever be wanting in his life, something that never could be replaced.

His brimming eyes sought the spot where the coffin rested. He could see her now, lying there, as she had looked for the last time, white and serene, her folded hands full of flowers, the eyes that had reflected his loving gaze pitilessly sealed, a strange smile on the lips that often met his in yielding sweetness. Ah, if he might hear that low and gentle voice again, if he might pillow that weary, golden head on his breast, and, asking forgiveness for a fleeting fancy, repeat his vow with all the fervor of the past!

He sat down, hiding his face in his hands. With the reopening of this unhealed wound came a revulsion of feeling, reproach for the self sought forgetfulness his want of fortitude had made desirable, remorse for the shrinking from pain that made him swerve from so dear a memory and for the wrong he did Cynthia in clinging to it.

But he hesitated no longer. The silent hour of retrospect had brought him very near to his first love, and with the bitter ache of longing came a strange sense of security and rest.

Unchanged she awaited him, fair and lovely as he had known her, this dear angel, speaking through the silence of heaven, to hold him to his vow.

For Cynthia he had no fears. That she had been able to make their engagement conditional on this breach of trust led him to hope its dissolution would cause her little suffering.

A parting pang assailed him as he penned the brief message of farewell, a dread of the creeping, gloomy years beyond which his brightest hope beckoned, but he lifted the talisman that wedded him to his dead bride, pressing it softly to his lips, and the shadow fled.

Cynthia crushed the note in her hand. She was hurt. She was indignant. She was scornful. A hundred sensations, mingled with no thoughts of surrender, struggled for mastery in her breast.

But the faint, unconfessed regret that struggled beneath the angry tumult, the feeling that lies so deep in some souls that only agony may wring it forth, the deadened wailing of love that will not be stilled—these were among the bitterest tears she shed.—Hilda Newman in Madame.

Time to Look Out For Himself.

"Gentlemen," said Congressman Grabbitt, rising to address a committee of admiring constituents who had waited upon him to urge him to become a candidate for a third term, "I am not using a mere form of words when I assure you that this is the proudest moment of my life. To have served my district for nearly four years in the congress of the United States in such a manner as to merit the encomiums you have seen fit to pass upon me this evening is an honor that any man might well be proud to wear. If I have not done my whole duty, gentlemen, the error has been of the head and not of the heart. I have striven at least to earn your approval, and the flattering words your spokesman has addressed to me convince me that my efforts have not been wholly in vain."

At this point he stopped to take a drink of water and his auditors loudly applauded.

"You come to me, gentlemen," he resumed, "with an assurance that amounts practically to a re-election. But, gentlemen, there is another thing to be taken into consideration. I am a poor man."

Here his voice became tremulous.

"I have reached middle age, gentlemen," he went on, "without having accumulated more than a bare competence. Highly as I should prize the honor of representing you once again in the lower house of congress I cannot afford to stand in my own light. My mind, gentlemen, is made up. I cannot be your candidate for congress because"—and here his voice sank to a whisper—"I have got my pipes all laid for running for alderman of the Steenth ward. I've counted noses and I'm going to be elected by the dad-dingedest majority any galoot ever got in this town!"

Congressman Grabbitt wiped the perspiration from his forehead and spoke in his natural tone.

"Gentlemen," he said, "I thank you from the bottom of my heart for this mark of your confidence and esteem. What'll you take?"—Chicago Tribune.

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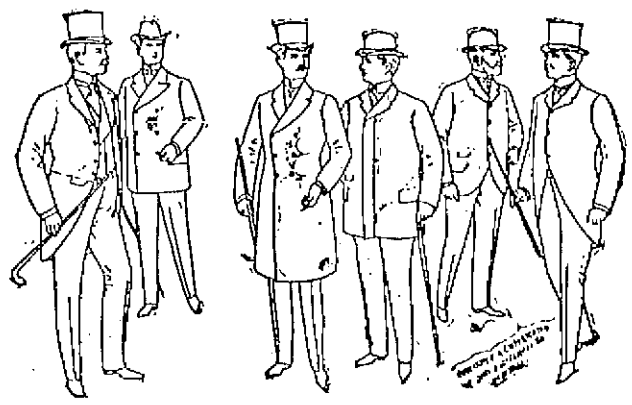

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1100 pairs Men's fine and fancy Cheviot and Worsted pants, all sizes, latest styles, guaranteed value $3. Sale price **$1.24**

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§7 33	8 50	9 15	§10 25
*7 45	8 37	*9 30	10 07
§7 50	8 53	10 00	11 18
*8 00	9 47	10 45	11 05
9 15	10 35	11 30	§12 07
9 40	10 40	12 00	§12 06
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§9 18	10 10	5 00	§5 59
§4 25	5 52	7 30	§8 15
§6 55	7 00	8 00	§8 38
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In furnishing goods and clothing the store of O'Hearn & Dowd is in the van and the public will find a large and pleasing assortment.

People are warned against a $10 bill raised from $2 which is circulating in this city. Just look carefully at any $10 note which may come into your possession.

There will be a grand Pearson rally by the voters of Ward 7, Tuesday, Oct. 26, at 7.45 p. m. in Fletcher street engine house. All cordially invited.

Elegance without extravagance is easily made possible if one's buying is properly directed. J. L. Chalifoux's store has been the Mecca of thousands of economical buyers for years, and it is today more than ever the place par excellence where economy and elegance go hand in hand.

It was reported Saturday that another dog fight was to take place somewhere in the vicinity of this city on Saturday night or Sunday morning. Agent Richardson of the Humane society heard it and went out hunting for the sports. He thinks now that the fight couldn't have occurred, as he couldn't find any traces of it.

The Estey company, 145 Merrimack street are feeling quite happy over the amount of Pianos which they keep moving and attribute this business to the low prices and easy terms which they are offering the public. The prices have dropped and other dealers have got to come to it, as the public will not pay $400 for Pianos when the Estey company can sell you one for $275, just as good. They have the goods and prices must move them at once.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. George A. Hill has taken one of the Costello cottages on Nesmith

Mrs. T. G. Tweed, Miss Brenda Tweed and Mr. Gordon Tweed, will spend the winter in South Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Wood are now at home at 3 Myrtle street. They have been living at 47 Grace street.

Mr. James Bayles is under Dr. Carolin's care at St. John's hospital. His condition is somewhat improved since his removal there.

Ex-Lieut. Frank I. Costello is in Seattle and will go to the Klondike in the spring. He writes that it impossible to secure work in Seattle.

Miss Mary Wight of Mansur street has rented her house to Captain Rose of the J. C. Ayer company and will live with Mrs. Williams of Nesmith street.

W. E. Stetson entertained a number of people at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Warren of Worthen street on Saturday night with a talk on California.

Miss May Harris, and her friend, Miss Darling, of East Burke, Vermont, are staying for a few days with Miss Harris' cousin, Mrs. R. S. Holt of French street.

WORKINGMEN AND MECHANICS, THIS IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY.

For sale, cheap, on easy terms, located on D street, near the Shaw Stocking company, on high and dry land, with good sewerage, convenient to schools, churches, and two lines of street cars, piped for gas and water; five cottage houses and one two-tenement house. These houses have all modern improvements and are suitably arranged for families. Part of these houses have just been completed and the rest will be finished, ready for occupancy in a very short time.

Terms liberal. A small amount down and the balance can be paid in monthly instalments.

Anyone desiring to go through these houses and inquire terms and prices, call on J. W. Bennett, the owner, at 564 Middlesex street.

DENTIST

TRIBUTES OF LOVE

To the Memory of Laurence J. Smith.

THE SUPREME CHIEF RANGER, SHAW IN TOWN.

He Speaks Words of Sadness and Sorrow.

The Foresters of Lowell had a monster meeting in Foresters' hall last night and took appropriate action on the death of Past Supreme Chief Ranger L. J. Smith. Supreme Chief Ranger Joshua Shaw of New York presided.

James F. Miskella presented the following resolutions, which were adopted:

When men whose abilities, services and devotion to a cause have transcended those of their fellows in a marked degree, pass from the scene of their earthly labors, it is fitting that their surviving associates should take care that the transcendental qualities of the dead should be recorded not only in the hearts of men, but in a form which shall endure and which shall serve to excite the emulation of those who follow.

Whereas, the Chief Ranger of the Universe, in His wisdom, has called from our Forestic circle, our dearly beloved brother, Laurence J. Smith, who for many years had walked with us, hand in hand, through the forest of this life; be it

Resolved; That while we bow in humble submission to His will, we feel that by his death, our order has lost its noblest son and each member thereof, a brother, steadfast and true.

Resolved: That our heartfelt sympathy be tendered to his widow and children in this, their hour of affliction. May the knowledge of his honest, upright life, spent in doing good to others, bring them peace and comfort.

Resolved: In memoriam, that we, the Lowell Foresters of America, attend his funeral; that our hall be draped in mourning and a copy of these resolutions be sent to his bereaved family. Lowell Foresters of America, by James F. Miskella, William A. Hogan, James J. Gallagher, John E. Maguire, Edward F. Slattery.

Supreme Recording Secretary William A. Hogan was then called to preside during the remainder of the meeting.

"Brothers," said he, "We meet here tonight on a sad occasion. One that has called together the supreme officers, the officers of the Grand Court, and hundreds of the members of the Lowell Foresters of America."

Supreme Chief Ranger Joshua Shaw of New York was then introduced and spoke in part as follows:

Brother Foresters—This is indeed a sad moment. It is especially sad for me on my first visit to your city. I am thankful, however, for myself and my colleagues that we have had the opportunity to come and pay our last respects to one of the most noble Foresters I ever met with in the order. He was a man who inspired one with a feeling of deepest desire to follow his example. He was a man of rare dignity and virtue. If we could feel that we had attained the qualities he possessed, we should feel that we had attained to a proud position.

"At some future time I hope to be able to meet you all, but under more cheerful circumstances. I simply came to pay my most humble tribute to the noblest Forester we ever numbered in our ranks."

Supreme Secretary E. M. McMurtry was then introduced and spoke with much feeling. He said in part:

"I hardly expected to return to Lowell in such a short time, especially to find the one man to whom my affections went out more than any other man not related to me in blood ties, cold in death.

"I would like to say more to you than I shall be able to, as it is impossible for me to control my emotions. But they say silence is golden, and that the greatest grief does not always find vent in expression."

Supreme Senior Woodward James Smith of Connecticut, was then presented and he said that he came to attend the funeral and to bring the Foresters of Lowell the condolence of the Foresters of Connecticut.

He said he was not so well acquainted with the deceased as the Lowell Foresters were, but that he knew him sufficiently well to know that a more honest or better man never breathed the breath of life.

"The more one knew of the deceased the better one liked him. I sincerely regret that my first visit to Massachusetts is on such an occasion. I assure you that while we know you are sorrowful, we all feel it."

The supporters of Hon. Fisher H. Pearson will hold a rally in the Branch street ward room this evening at 8 o'clock. Hon. Fisher H. Pearson, James F. Owens, Dennis J. Murphy, Thomas H. Muldoon and John J. Burns will address the meeting.

CITY FARM FIRE.

A portion of the fire department was called by telephone to a fire at the City Farm Monday. The blaze was located in the old carpenter shop over the piggery, but outside of the burning of the roof little damage was done. The fire is thought to have been either the result of a defective chimney or the work of an incendiary.

SCHRADER, DIVINE HEALER.

Now in Lowell to heal the sick again. Thousands have been cured here in Lowell. Just come from the West. He is now located at 59 Tyler street. Come at once before the thousands who will call again.

The Ward Seven Pearson rally to be held this evening in the Fletcher street ward room, will be addressed by Hon. John Welch, Hon. Fisher H. Pearson, Thomas H. Muldoon and J. E. Venne.

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Bishop Allen, Formerly of Lowell

IS LABORING AMONG YELLOW FEVER SUFFERERS

His Entire Diocese is in Infected District.

Rt. Rev. Edward P. Allen, D.D., formerly of Lowell, who was recently raised to the bishopric of Mobile, Ala., has begun the performance of his diocesan duties under most inauspicious circumstances, which would discourage anyone but a man of such zeal and courage possessed by him.

The diocese of Mobile includes the entire state of Alabama and the northern portion of Florida, and while the territory is great, the population is not great in proportion; and for the most part the people are in great need of both spiritual and temporal aid.

When Bishop Allen was appointed, he proceeded at once to his new field of labor and was formally installed. Then he proceeded northward for a much needed rest.

While on his way to the North, Bishop Allen heard that the dread disease, yellow fever, had broken out among his new charges, and like the true priest he immediately abandoned the idea of seeking rest and turned his face toward the suffering South. Bishop Allen's destination was Mobile, but on arriving he was denied entrance to the city on account of the establishment of quarantine. Not disheartened, however, he decided that he could accomplish more good by visiting the outlying infected districts and such is at present his work, going about untiringly from place to place, giving his faithful priests and their afflicted parishioners all the aid in his power.

The quarantine in the infected cities is very rigid, as, of course, is absolutely necessary, and when a stranger seeks entrance to a city or town, he is submitted to a very strict cross-examination, irrespective of his calling or position in life.

When Bishop Allen arrived at the city of Montgomery, he was confronted by a printed set of questions, a copy of which is as follows:

Questions proposed under the provisions of "An Ordinance to provide for the efficient enforcement of a quarantine" adopted by the City Council of Montgomery.

Any person refusing to answer these questions, or making untrue answers, or refusing to subscribe on oath to them when desired, is guilty of a misdemeanor and may be fined not less than $50 or more than $100, and also forbidden to enter the city or remain there.

1. At what station did you get on this train?

Answer ....

2. Have you been in Mobile, New Orleans, Pontchartrain Junction, Micheaud, Chef Monteur, Rigolets, Look Out, Waveland, St. Louis, Pass Christian, Beauvoir, Biloxi, Ocean Springs, West Pascagoula, Scranton, Moss Point, Perkinston, Barclay, Brantly, Edwards, Atlanta, Ga., Cairo, Ill., state of Mississippi, or any other place infected with Yellow Fever within the last twenty days, and if so, in which place?

3. When was the last time you were in either of said places? How long were you there?

4. Have you, or anyone travelling in your charge been in either of the above places in the last twenty days?

5. Have you, to your knowledge, been exposed to Yellow Fever in the past twenty days?

6. Where have you been in the past thirty days?

7. Where are you going to stop in the city of Montgomery or destination?

I, ... do solemnly swear that the answers to the foregoing questions are true, SO HELP ME GOD!

Sworn and subscribed to before me this .... day of .... 1897.

—T. F. Leak,
Quarantine Officer.

Each person must answer these questions, and then if his answers are not satisfactory to the quarantine officer, he is put aboard a train immediately and sent away, probably to be driven away again at the next stopping place. Should the answers show that the applicant is a safe person to admit to the city, he is allowed to remain within the city limits. Upon leaving the city or upon leaving a city not infected, one is given a certificate by the Board of Health, showing his freedom from disease.

Bishop Allen is much pleased with the work of the clergymen in his charge under the trying circumstances and looks hopefully forward to a cessation of the scourge in the near future. The people in the infected districts are all praying for a killing frost, which is expected to drive out the germs of the disease. All letters sent out from the district are fumigated, including those coming to Lowell, which are punched with several holes.

UNIQUE HOTEL PROJECT.

Costly Structure In New York, With Steam Yacht and Coaches For Guests.

Eugene Kirby of the Sherman Square hotel in New York said recently that a syndicate of English and New York capitalists had been formed to build an 16 story hotel somewhere in the upper part of Riverside drive in New York. He said that the ground and the buildings would cost between $4,000,000 and $5,000,000, and that the site had already been purchased.

Mr. Kirby declined to state the location. He said the plot of ground was 200 by 250 feet and that it occupied a block front. The hotel proper, he said, would be 150 feet deep and back of this there would be another building which would contain the working departments and servants' quarters.

"The first floor of the hotel," he said, "will contain the office, smoking room, ladies' billiard room, reception room and parlor. The second floor will have a balcony restaurant, club and private dining rooms, covering a space of 80,000 square feet. The remaining 16 stories will contain about 750 rooms, divided into suits of two to ten rooms each.

"It is intended as a summer and winter hotel and we shall cater chiefly to families, since it will be too far from the business center to expect much transient trade. Two of the features will be a banquet hall that will seat a thousand persons and a roof garden. The building will be of stone, brick and fireproofed wood. It will be patterned somewhat after the Hotel Cecil. So far as possible it will aim at the colonial style of architecture.

"We shall have our own market garden in New Jersey, from which we shall get many of our supplies. We shall have a line of tallyho coaches, which will make daily trips during pleasant weather in the northern suburbs of New York. In addition to this we shall have a steam yacht which will start from our own dock and make hourly trips, stopping at the principal docks in the lower part of the city for the accommodation of business men and shoppers."—New York Herald.

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KLONDIKE FOOD QUESTION.

Dr. Jackson Claims the Government Should Hasten the Use of Reindeer.

Dr. Sheldon Jackson, the government educational agent in Alaska, recently said that at the best the food supply above Fort Yukon will not last the miners longer than Jan. 1. He greatly regrets that the government did not prepare for the present emergency during summer by authorizing him to take 150 trained reindeer from Fort Clarence to St. Michael's, whence they could carry food to Dawson this winter, drawing 400 pounds each and making the trip in four to six weeks.

By next fall he expects to have 800 reindeer broken ready for use. Superintendent Kjelleman of the reindeer stations is now on route to Tacoma with five Laplander drivers and their families, who are returning to Norway after three years' service in Alaska. Kjelleman will accompany them and endeavor to engage ten more Lap drivers.

Mr. Jackson says that skilled drivers are essential to break and drive reindeer to the best advantage. Fifteen Eskimos have been trained as drivers and will render much assistance. Jackson's idea is that the government should sell reindeer at about $50 each to men who will engage in winter transportation. To use them economically, each train should number at least a hundred reindeer, each driver managing eight animals.

Jackson says that three years ago Yukon miners saved themselves from starvation by shooting several thousand wild reindeer, which abound between the Yukon and the Arctic ocean. He thinks this experience may be repeated this year.

In his opinion there will always be a winter food shortage on the Yukon, and the only way to materially lessen it will be for the government to hasten the general use of reindeer.—New York Journal.

Auction sale of household goods at 16 Belmont street, Friday, October 29, at 2 o'clock p. m.

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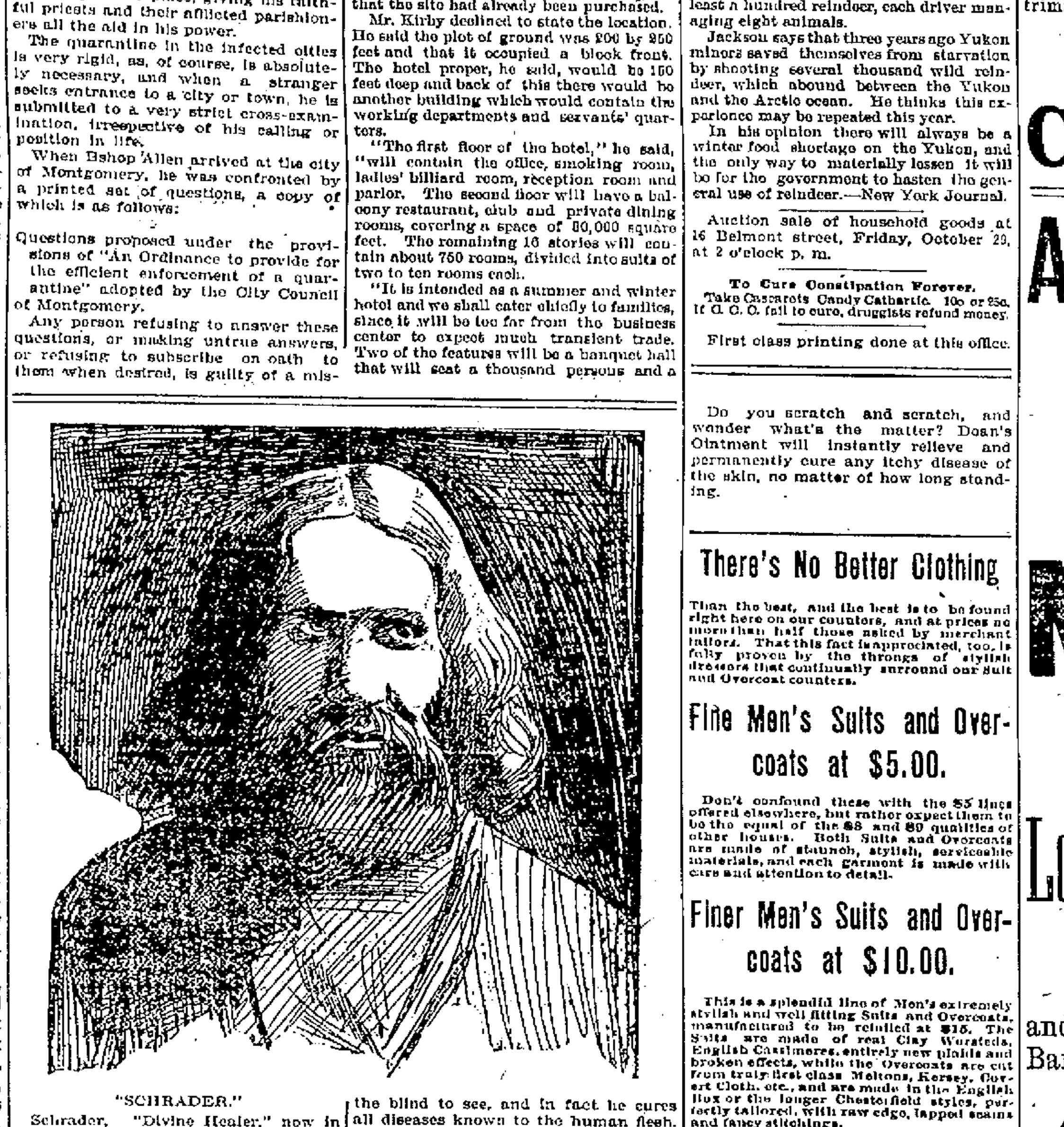

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FLANNELLETTE WRAPPERS

Perfect in make, shape, fit and style, trimmed with braid to match color of goods. Sizes are from 32 to 44 bust measure. They are 3 1-4 yards around at the bottom of Skirt and are large and full at the hips. The flannellette is the best that can be bought at any price. Our special price is 99c. each, worth $1.50.

JACKETS.

Our line of Jackets includes all the latest novelties. Special leaders Friday and Saturday we offer a good quality Boucle Jacket, half lined, at $5.00.

A handsome covert cloth, half lined, velvet piped Jacket at $7.50.

A very fine all wool Kersey Cloth Jacket in black, tan and green at $1.00.

CAPES.

Good quality Beaver Capes, braid and fur trimmed, only $2.50.

Tan Colored Freize Capes, only $3.50.

Boucle Capes, satin lined, Thibet trimmed, only $6.50.

COLLARETTES.

Belgian Seal Collarettes only $1.85

Baltic Seal Collarettes, only $2.50.

Astrachan Collarettes, only $2.50.

China Seal Astrachan Yoke Collarettes, only $4.50.

SKIRTS.

A very large assortment to select from, black and colored, from 98c. up to $9.00.

WAISTS.

Handsome Roman Striped Silk Waists, only $4.98.

Plaid Waists and Blouses from 98c. to $3.98.

Also Flannellette and Cashmere Waists.

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MERRIMACK, PALMER AND MIDDLE STREETS.

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NICE RUGS

We Have Just Opened 10 Bales Remnants

Lowell's Best Brussels Carpets

All 1 1-2 Yards Long for Rugs

and have placed this whole lot at foot of stairs in Bargain Department at the special price of

60c. Each

The fact that Lowell's Brussel Carpets sell at $1.25 per yard make these at once a great bargain as we give 1½ yards for the regular price of one-half yard, and they are all new and elegant patterns for nice rugs, of good size and extra good quality. On sale now, and a big rush for them too.

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